

# Mayor Donovan Gets After Rent Hogs

## Noted Kennels Represented at Dog Show Here

### MAYOR ASKS ASSESSORS TO ACT TO STOP RENT ADVANCES BY REAL ESTATE SPECULATORS HERE

**Says Out-of-Town Men Are Finding Lowell Fertile Field for Manipulation and Declares Rentals Way Out of Proportion to Assessed Valuation—Urges Immediate Action to Stop Practice of Making Tenants "Pay the Freight"**

The influx of out-of-town real estate speculators into the local market with resultant rental increases in buildings purchased has become so important a matter that Mayor Donovan today sent a letter to the board of assessors concerning the assessment of such buildings as have been bought by these out-of-town realtors.

The mayor says the speculator for hoarding rents, saying that "he does not care much about the tax rate, or even what he pays for property, so long as he may compel the tenant to take care of his investment by increased rentals. It is a rare incident.

In Lowell today when a real estate transaction is not immediately accompanied by a rental boost of substantial proportion." His suggestion for a remedy of this condition is prompt action by the assessors in raising assessed values in some such proportion as rents have been advanced.

The matter of out-of-town real estate speculators purchasing many of the large office buildings, as well as much residential property, has been given considerable publicity in the newspapers and has caused much unfavorable comment, and the mayor's

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### JUDGE ENRIGHT IS GOING TO MAKE LAWYERS TOE THE MARK

**Court Says Practice of Asking for Continuance of Cases Without Reasonable Excuse Must Be Stopped—Cases in the District Court**

When a request for a continuance was made in the district court this morning in connection with the case of Charles Sauris, charged with illegal sale, Judge Enright stated that he intends to put a stop to the practice of lawyers being absent from court and asking for continuances without reasonable excuse. Unless actually engaged in other courts, commented Judge Enright, continuances will not be granted. Sauris was continued until next Monday.

Charles Abdallah, whose case has been hanging fire for a long time, was ordered defaulted when he failed to appear in answer to a charge of illegal keeping. "I'll have the man brought in if it requires the whole police force to do it," said the judge when Abdallah's non-appearance was announced.

Vincent K. Reardon was found guilty

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### GERMAN COMMUNISTS SEIZE POLICE HEADQUARTERS AFTER BATTLE

ESSEN, May 24.—(By the Associated Press) The communists have taken possession of police headquarters at Gelsenkirchen and have hoisted the red flag over the building.

Reports from German sources say that five persons were killed and 61 wounded in the fighting for the possession of the building. The struggle began late last night and continued until early this morning.

The building is said to have been defended by the civilian defense organization which was finally forced to quit when one wing was set on fire by the attacking mob.

The fighting was not restricted to the building but spread through the streets and many street cars were shattered. A number of the non-residents were wounded.

N. Y. AND BOSTON CLEARINGS  
NEW YORK, May 24.—Exchanges, \$899,000,000; balances, \$51,000,000.  
BOSTON, May 24.—Exchanges, \$58,000,000; balances, \$23,000,000.

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### Knights of Columbus

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### Dog Show Opens at Kasino With More Than 400 Dogs From Nation's Best Known Kennels Competing



Group of Lowell exhibitors at show with Wire Haired and Boston Terriers, Beagles, English Setter, French Bull, Pomeranian, Rough Coated Collie and Pekingese.

Lowell's first metropolitan dog show, destined to be an unequalled success and a forerunner of even more pretentious ones in years to come, opened at the Kasino in Thorndike street at 10 o'clock this forenoon, with 400 dogs, representing almost every known breed on exhibition.

Exhibitors from New England and all over the country, even as far away as Hollywood, Cal., are showing the pick of their kennels and before the judges complete their work tonight, most careful thought and selection must guide them in their choices.

The Kasino, with its detachable sides pulled up, thus transforming it into an outdoor pavilion, makes an ideal setting for the show, affording adequate judging space in the middle of

the floor, with the dog stalls running around the floor on three sides in double and even treble lines in some places.

The show is being put on for one day only under the auspices of the Lowell Kennel club, Frederick G. Humphreys, president, with the not proceeds to be given to the Lowell gull. Patronage was brisk this forenoon and continuous crowds were expected this afternoon and evening. The exhibition will not close until 10 p. m.

This morning with several of the exhibits still coming, the show presented a fair sized sample of pandemonium, with staccato barks in every known key splitting the air in a howl-symphony. Terriers were yelping, pomeranians were yapping, great

Danes were growling, collies were barking and beagles were raising mournful howls that shook the very rafters. But no one seemed to mind and although the dogs were restless as a rule, they showed no disposition to be unfriendly, although lightly leashed signs warned spectators to "Keep hands off."

#### The Various Breeds

The following breeds of dogs, numbering approximately 400, are being exhibited and will compete for the many prizes and awards, trophies, ribbons and cups: Bloodhounds, mastiffs, Eskimos, St. Bernard's (rough and smooth), Great Danes, Newfoundlanders, Russian wolfhounds,

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### DISCUSSED TRAINING OF LOCAL SWIMMERS

A meeting of the executive committee of the Lowell Chapter of the American Red Cross was held in the mayor's reception room at city hall at 11.30 today with Robert F. Mardon acting as chairman.

Present at the meeting were representatives of the city, Mayor Donovan, the chamber of commerce, the Rotary club, Advertising club, Boy Scouts, Y. W. C. A., Y. M. C. A., the School department, Fire department, Telephone

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### CHARGED WITH LARCENY OF WATCH AND MONEY

Charged with the larceny of \$145 in cash and a gold watch from Alfred Roy of 486 Merrimack street, George Lafleur was arrested in Worcester yesterday afternoon and brought to Lowell by Sergeant Thomas McCloughry today.

On May 16, Lafleur is alleged to have stolen the money and watch from Roy who had befriended him by way of board and lodging for a period of two weeks. Lafleur disappeared and a warrant was issued for his arrest. Thinking he had gone to the home of his wife in Bridgeport, Conn., Roy went to that city a few days ago, but failed to locate his man. Yesterday afternoon Supt. Atkinson received a telegram from the police chief of Bridgeport, informing him that Lafleur had been arrested in Worcester while attempting to cash a check. Chief Atkinson immediately notified the Worcester authorities that the man was wanted in Lowell. At the time of his arrest, Lafleur was still in possession of the watch and had about \$63 in money. He will appear in the local district court tomorrow.

### GAVE LAROUX BAD BEATING

**Bartley Sheridan is Fined \$50 for Cowardly and Vicious Attack**

Victim of Assault Was Confined to Hospital for Two Weeks

Because he was a "torment," and also because he was instrumental in having him arrested some time ago, Bartley Sheridan took revenge on James Laroux on May 5 and gave him such a severe beating that the latter was confined to the hospital for a period of two weeks. Sheridan was arrested for assault and battery and this morning in the district court he was found guilty and ordered to pay a fine of \$50.

The assault occurred at 88 Fenwick

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### CASE WAS NOT PROSSED

**Man Arrested in This City Is Released in Rhode Island Court**

PROVIDENCE, R. I., May 24.—The case against Fred Lavalle, 19, charged by the Central Falls police with assault on Zoel Choquette aged Broad street storekeeper, with intent to rob, was not prosessed by City Solicitor Lawrence M. Nolan in the Eleventh district court this morning. Upon his recommendation Judge Roscoe M. Dexter released Lavalle upon the payment of costs.

Attorneys John J. Fitzgerald and Arthur M. Suprenant representing the defendant.

Lavalle was arrested two days after

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**ATTENTION!**  
Disabled Veterans And All Trainees

Official leave has been granted all men in training under the U. S. Veterans Bureau to attend the third annual convention of the D.A.V. of W.V. to be held Friday morning at 9 o'clock, in Liberty Hall, Memorial Auditorium. Considerable discussion will be brought about for your interest.

Disabled American Veterans of World War  
Lowell Chapter No. 5

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### JUDGE SISK REVERSES VERDICT OF \$3000 IN SUPERIOR COURT CASE

**Sealed Verdict for Plaintiff Returned by Jury in Case of William F. Conroy, Administrator for the Estate of Mary Conroy vs. Beatrice J. Maxwell**

A sealed verdict for the plaintiff in the case first went to trial the morning at the civil session of the superior court in the case of William F. Conroy, administrator for the estate of Mary Conroy vs. Beatrice J. Maxwell. The verdict was reversed by Justice Sisk and the case will go to the supreme judicial court for final disposition.

In reversing the verdict, a power given the justices of the superior court by a special act of the legis-

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### MAYOR DONOVAN WILL WELCOME DISABLED WAR VETERANS TO LOWELL TOMORROW



CHARLES COSTELLO  
State Commander



EDWARD H. SULLIVAN  
State Treasurer

Mayor John J. Donovan of Lowell, member of the executive committee of the Disabled American War Veterans of the World war will open the third state department convention of the veterans at Memorial Auditorium tomorrow afternoon, with a message of welcome to visiting delegates and other veterans in attendance. The response to the greeting by the mayor will be made by Harry F. O'Sullivan of the Lowell Post No. 5.

State Commander Charles Costello, of Springfield, Adjutant Ernest C. Thibodeau, of Somerville, and State Treasurer Edw. H. Sullivan of Lowell will officially open the convention headquarters at the new American hotel tonight at 7 o'clock. Hotel accommodations and general information in regard to the program of the convention will be given to the delegates and veterans who are requested to make the hotel their headquarters, while in the city.

At 5.30 the state officers and delegates will gather in the mayor's reception room at city hall. This meeting, a private session, will be open only to delegates and officers of the convention. General discussion of convention business and matters relating to the introduction of resolutions will be talked over.

State Treasurer Edward Sullivan stated that resolutions calling for an investigation of conditions at the Chelsea Naval hospital, and to the progress at the new Boston hospital, would

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JOHN C. McQUAID, F. S.

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Sunkist Sliced Pineapple, large can .... 35c  
Yellow Cling Peaches, in syrup, can .... 20c  
Sweet Wrinkled Peas .... 2 Cans 25c  
Warner's Macaroni, pkg. .... 9c  
Underwood Deviled Ham, small size .... 2 for 35c

BASEMENT

## R. R. EXECUTIVES FROM N. E. PRESENT THEIR VIEWS ON CONSOLIDATION

**Appear Before Interstate Commerce Commission to Discuss Government Proposals to Merge All Roads in This Section Into One System—Hustis of B. & M. Opposes Government Plan—Urges New Arrangement Between B. & M. and C. P. R. or C. N. R.**

WASHINGTON, May 24.—Railroad executives in the New England region were before the Interstate Commerce commission to present their views upon government proposals to consolidate all railroads in that territory into a single system. President E. J. Pearson of the New York, New Haven & Hartford was first on the list of witnesses called, while representatives of the Boston & Maine, Maine Central, Bangor & Arnoostook, and other railroads involved also were on hand.

The New England consolidation, proposed as part of a general plan affecting the entire country, has been before the railroad chiefs concerned for study during the last 18 months. Prof. W. Z. Ripley, the commission's expert in laying out the consolidations, proposed also an alternative, by which different roads in New England would be attached to various of the large eastern trunk lines, and the spokesmen for the companies were prepared to express preferences in the situation. New England roads, Prof. Ripley's report declared, have had special difficulties in meeting expenses out of existing rates and for that reason the scheme was proposed of putting all roads involved also were on hand.

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## Officers Who Will Lead High School Field Day Events



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SARA O'BRIEN  
First Major



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MARGARET FLYNN  
Second Major



COL. GEORGE S. GARVEY



ELEANOR MACBRYNE  
Third Major



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JUANITA JOHNSTON  
Fourth Major

Field day, in many respects the most important event on the annual calendar for high school students, will be held tomorrow afternoon on the South common, an area admirably suited for it, more particularly at present, with additional seating accommodations available on the summer street slope.

No public school in the east, at least, and only a few in the entire country, put on an exhibition of military and physical educational features to match that which yearly is given in Lowell.

All the preliminary drilling and training throughout the school year is pointed to this one day and each succeeding exhibition seems to eclipse the previous one in extent and quality of accomplishment. It is colorful beyond compare and of course, with so many pupils participating, arouses great interest.

As has been the practice in other years, the exhibition will be preceded by a parade of the boys' regiment, the girls' battalions and freshmen boys and girls, to start from the school at 12:30 o'clock and to pass in review before the members of the city government at city hall en route to the common. The parade will pass through Merrimack and Central streets and thousands will line the curbs to watch it.

The opening exercises at the common will include a salute to the colors, to be followed by company competitive military drill, dumb-bell and Indian club exhibitions, aesthetic dancing, pyramid building by freshmen boys, individual competitive military drill in the manual of arms, regimental parade and distribution of commissions and prizes. Judges will include Col. Charles A. Bartlett and Lieut. Joseph Priscoll of Boston and Capt. Harry Dunlap Brown of Billerica.

Majors of the 1923 girls' battalions are Sara O'Brien, Margaret Flynn, Eleanor MacBryne and Juanita Johnston and Col. George S. Garvey is commanding the boys' regiment. Major O'Leary S. Kirtledge as military instructor has placed the regiment upon a high plane of efficiency and the same may be said of the results attained by Donald R. MacIntyre, physical instructor in charge of freshmen athletics, and Miss Frances R. H. Leggat and Miss Myrtle Rooney, supervisors of physical education for the girls.

to Lowell Monday morning to hear the arguments in the petition for contempt filed yesterday afternoon in the case of Apostolos Johnson et al. vs. Constantine Vargopoulos et al.

**Case Was Not Prossed**  
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the assault, in Lowell, Mass., for the local authorities. Arraigned in the Eleventh district court he pleaded not guilty and May 4 was held in \$10,000 bail upon the recommendation of the police because of the serious condition of Mr. Choquette. Since that time Mr. Choquette's condition has improved so that the defendant was brought into court a week ago and his bail was reduced.

Solicitor Nolan informed the court this morning that after an investigation of the circumstances surrounding the assault he was convinced that there were no grounds for the original charge that was brought by the police. He added that it was rather a personal matter between Choquette and Laville. Mr. Choquette was then called to the stand and stated that it was his desire that the case be discontinued.

**MONTHS MIND MASS**  
There will be a month's mind high mass of requiem Monday morning at 8:45 o'clock for the repose of the soul of Michael A. Quinley at St. Margaret's church.

**DEATHS**  
ARCHAMBAULT—Arthur Archambault, son of Pierre and Emma (Dumas) Archambault, died yesterday at the home of his parents, 11 Montclair avenue, aged 1 year, 1 month and 9 days.

WICKS—Mrs. Sarah A. Wicks, a resident of this city for the past eleven months, passed away early this morning at her home, 131 Blackpole street, at the age of 61 years, 4 months and 19 days. She is survived by her husband, Arthur J. Wicks; one daughter, Miss Caroline M. Wicks of this city; one son, William J. Wicks, and a granddaughter, Edna K. Wicks, both of Providence, R. I. Mrs. Wicks was a member of the Calvary Baptist church of Lawrence, Mass. Her body will be taken to Providence, R. I., for burial, in charge of Undertaker William H. Saunders. Kindly omit flowers.

DUVAL—Valerie Neault Duval, wife of Magloire Duval, died early this morning at her home, 13 Denault place, aged 47 years. She had been a resident of Lowell for nearly 30 years. Besides her husband she leaves a daughter, Aurea; 3 sisters, Mrs. Rosalind Neault, Mrs. Elora St. Cyr and Mrs. Sedville St. Cyr, all of Lowell; 5 brothers, Tréfle, George, Ephrem and Alfred Neault, all of Lowell, and Telephore Neault of Lawrence. She was a member of St. Anne's sodality of St. Louis' parish.

WALDRON—Thomas Waldron, a well-known resident of Centralville, and an attendant of St. Michael's church, died yesterday afternoon at his home, 453 Lakeview avenue, after an illness of only a few days. He leaves to mourn his loss his wife, Mrs. Annie (Gussey) Waldron; two sisters, Mrs. Elizabeth Donovan and Mrs. Catherine Finnegan of Boston; three brothers, Patrick Waldron of Providence, R. I. and John and James Waldron of Boston. The body was taken to the rooms of Funeral Director Jas. W. McKenna.

**FUNERALS**  
ST. PIERRE—The funeral of Mrs. Elsie M. St. Pierre took place from the funeral home, 236 Westford st., yesterday afternoon. The services were conducted by Rev. Henry K. Vye, pastor of the Calvary Baptist church. The floral offerings were numerous. Burial was in the family lot in the Edison cemetery. The funeral arrangements were in charge of Undertaker George W. Healey.

**Funeral Notices**  
GRADY—Died in this city, May 23, at St. John's hospital, John W. Grady. Funeral will take place Friday morning at 9 o'clock from the rooms of Charles H. Molloy's Sons, funeral mass at the Sacred Heart church at 9 o'clock. Burial in St. Patrick's cemetery.

MOLLOY—Died, May 22, in this city, Miss Marion D. Molloy. The funeral will take place Friday morning from the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George H. Molloy, 81 Ottawa street, at 9 o'clock. There will be a solemn high mass of requiem at St. Michael's church at 10 o'clock. Burial in St. Patrick's cemetery in charge of Funeral Director James W. McKenna.

**Mayor to Ask Assessors to Act to Stop Rent Advances**  
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action today is in line with a remedial method that has been suggested from many different sources as the only effective one.

The Mayor's Letter  
The letter to the assessors and signed by Mayor Donovan follows:  
"In my opinion great care must be exercised this year in determining an equitable basis of property valuation and assessment thereon. There is a tendency within recent months to skyrocket purchase values in the sale of property, making the valuation as determined and assessed by the city almost ridiculous by comparison. Out-of-town speculators are evidently finding Lowell a profitable field for real estate manipulation. What are the reasons? Are we experiencing an unusual development of a permanent nature, or is it the attractiveness of low assessment of property valuation? Is it because our citizens, compelled to pay excessive rental increases, are driven in desperation to seek to purchase real estate in their own name, only to be met with abnormal sale values? One fact is quite evident that present assessed valuation is no longer a basis of sale value or of mortgage loans on property."

"If there is a sound basis for present real estate manipulation, well and good; but if excess values are being paid by purchasers of investment property, with the intent of making the investment profitable by heavy advancement of rentals on the houses and places of business of our citizens, I can see no good coming from such methods. There was a time when the tax rate was used as an argument to advance rents, but that argument is old fashioned now in comparison to the advance of the up-to-date speculator in real estate. He does not care much about the tax rate, or even what he pays for property, so long as he may compel the tenant to take care of his investment by increased rentals. It is a rare incident in Lowell today when a real estate transaction is not immediately accompanied by a rental boost of substantial proportion."

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"If low assessment of property is the attraction for out of town speculators in real estate, the remedy is in your hands. I do not recommend a general increase in property assessments, but I do recommend a careful examination of all real estate transfers for the purpose of determining the sale value of same, and re-adjustment of assessment, if in your judgment conditions justify such action. More particularly do I suggest that you re-adjust assessments where there is evidence of flagrant injustice to our citizens in rental advances."

"I would recommend prompt and effective action on the part of your board along lines that will safeguard the city's interests, and protect, if possible, our citizens against rental injustices as imposed by absentee landlords."

**Judge Sisk Reverses Verdict in Superior Court Case**  
Continued  
endant should have been entered." It is agreed that the verdict is reversed, in order to avoid another trial in the event that the verdict be not sustained by the supreme judicial court.

In this case the plaintiff sought to recover damages for the death of his bridge this afternoon, but will return

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Any \$7.95 Hat.....	\$3.98
Any \$5.00 Hat.....	\$2.50
Any \$3.95 Hat.....	\$1.98
No Exchanges—No C. O. D.'s	



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From Corns or Bunions. Get DOWS' EASY CORN PLASTERS 25c (Box of 9 Pieces)  
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**WOMEN'S FUTURIST UNION SUITS**, made athletic style, in voile, crossbar muslin and baliste, white and pink, all sizes to 44. **\$1.00 \$1.25**

**WOMEN'S THREE-PIECE COTTON UNION SUITS**, made low neck, sleeveless, tight or shell knee, all sizes. **85c**

**WOMEN'S SWISS Lisle VESTS**, low neck, sleeveless, large sizes only; **\$1.00** regularly \$1.50.

**BOYS' JERSEY COTTON KNIT UNION SUITS**, high neck, short sleeves, knee length, sizes 24 to 34. **59c**

Street Floor





NEW VERSION OF "ANVIL CHORUS"

Cronus, Germany's strong man, allows two fellows to play the "anvil chorus" while he holds the anvil. Not so much music, but quite a stunt.

## KILLS GIRL AND HIMSELF

Man Shoots Sweetheart, Then  
Puts Arms Around Her  
Neck and Ends Own Life

WORCESTER, May 24.—Jealousy, according to the police, caused Antonio Protano, 24 years old, of Mohigan road to kill his handsome sweetheart, Miss Margaret Sparver, 16 years old, of Mohigan road last night and then take his own life.

Protano shot the girl through the head, firing four or five times before he killed her. He used a 25-calibre automatic. According to Lena Sparver, an 11-year-old sister of the girl, Protano had heard his sweetheart was keeping company with another young man. He told her so a few moments before the fatal shots were fired. The quarrel followed and then the murder and suicide.

The little girl who said she witnessed the quarrel and saw the first shot fired by Antonio became frightened and ran out of the kitchen where the shooting took place, down into the garden to notify her mother, Mrs. Joseph Sparver, who arrived at the side of her daughter soon after the shooting.

Judging from the position in which the two bodies were found on the kitchen floor, it is believed by the police that Protano, after shooting Margaret, walked into nearby bed room,

brought out a pillow and laid the head of the lifeless girl on it. He then placed one arm around the neck of his sweetheart and with the other hand fired two shots into his own forehead and another into his mouth.

When the bodies were found Antonio's arms were wrapped round Margaret's neck.

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## COAL GOUGERS FINED

Adamian Brothers Taxed  
\$500 Each — Sentences  
Stayed to Allow Appeal

BOSTON, May 24.—Kirkor, Jacob H. and George Adamian, proprietors of the Adams Coal & Wood company, Somerville, who were found guilty by a jury early this month in the superior criminal court, East Cambridge, on 52 counts, alleging offenses which during the past winter came under the head of so-called "coal gouging," were each fined \$500 yesterday afternoon by Judge Franklin T. Hammond.

The case, however, is scheduled for the supreme court, and Judge Hammond, at the request of Attorney John H. Hurley, counsel for the defendants, granted a stay of sentence until exceptions taken during the trial may be heard and determined by the higher court.

The three brothers were tried on 56 indictments, containing 109 counts. Against each brother were three counts of conspiracy, 25 counts of adulterating coal, one count alleging failure to file a business certificate with the proper authorities, one alleging the selling of coal in unmarked bags, 26 alleging larceny, and 26 alleging fraudulent sale.

The jury found each of the men guilty on 26 counts alleging adulteration of coal and 26 counts alleging fraudulent sale of coal. They were not found guilty on the other counts. Yesterday afternoon Judge Hammond

set aside the verdicts on the fraudulent sale counts and also the verdict on one count of adulterating coal. He sentenced each defendant on 25 counts of adulterating coal, finding each of them at the rate of \$20 a count.

Before sentence was passed Attorney Hurley presented arguments for a new trial.

District Attorney Arthur K. Reading in moving for sentence, flayed the defendants and asked that they be sent to jail. Pointing out that the people were powerless to protect themselves, Mr. Reading declared these defendants the most flagrant offenders.

Judge Hammond stated that he agreed with the district attorney, that

measures must be taken to stop such practices. He stated, however, that under the statutes it would be impossible to impose jail sentences.

## LOYAL ORDER OF MOOSE

Delator Elmer G. Willey occupied the chair at last evening's regular meeting of Lowell Lodge, 618, Loyal Order of Moose, which was held in Odd Fellows building, Middlesex st. Thirty new members were initiated and several applications for membership were received. It was announced that the final class initiation under the open charter will be held on Wednesday evening, June 13. At the close of the business session a social hour was enjoyed, during which refreshments were served and entertainment numbers were given.

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After Pneumonia — Declares World Famous Medicine Ended Every Trouble and Restored Perfect Health

Both the immediate and the lasting results are given from the Tanlac treatment are illustrated by the statement of Mrs. Fred Saul, 295 Green st., Cambridge, Mass. She says:

"Tanlac restored my health two years ago while we lived in Lancaster,

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#### COATS, CAPES, WRAPS, SUITS, DRESSES, SKIRTS, Etc.

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A golden opportunity you have been waiting for. A sale of up-to-the-minute ladies' garments at unbelievable prices. We will leave the verdict with the people. Tell your friends and neighbors. They will thank you.

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A Lot of New Coats

\$7.79 \$9.87 \$9.67 \$12.57  
\$12.57

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A Lot of New Suits

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\$16.87

Cape Bargains  
and  
Wrap

\$5.89  
\$9.87 \$12.67  
\$14.78

## Dress Bargains

\$4.97 \$7.97  
\$9.87 \$12.57

## Skirt Bargains

\$2.87 \$3.97  
\$5.77

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DON'T FORGET! Be here early. You will find the choicest selections of the season's newest garments at prices that are really surprising to those who know the true value of merchandise such as we are offering to the women of Lowell and vicinity at this sale.

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## "BLUE TIGER" IN CHINA! NO, IT WASN'T BLIND!

By HARRY B. HUNT  
(N.E.A. Service Writer)  
WASHINGTON, May 23.—There are lots of things in China stranger than bandits, according to A. de C. Sowerby, biologist of the Smithsonian Institution, who recently conducted a scientific exploration into southeastern China.

For instance—a blue tiger! This unique animal is listed from the category of the imaginary, in which the "blue moon" still remains, by being given recognition in a formal report of the Smithsonian.

Writing from the interior of Fukien province, 200 miles from the coast up a tributary of the Min river, Sowerby says:

"I met Caldwell, who saw the 'Blue Tiger' and he tells me it was of such a color that he thought it was a Chinaman in his blue coat in the brush. But he had a good view of the animal to be perfectly certain of what it was. The only reason he did not shoot it was that it was just above two boys who were working in a field, and had he shot it it must have fallen on top of them. Indeed, it was actually stalking them when he saw it."

Although Smithsonian scientists apparently give credence to the existence of the "Blue Tiger," there are those who treat it more lightly.

For instance, when mention of it was made to Roy Haynes, prohibition commissioner, his first question was:

"Was it blind?"

Uncle Sam's Cash Balance  
Working from identical sets of figures, the bureau of the budget and the department of treasury differ some \$55,000,000 as to Uncle Sam's probable cash balance at the end of the fiscal year, June 30.

The budget bureau announces that the budget will balance with a surplus of at least \$50,000,000.

The treasury announces: "Best estimates indicate a surplus of over \$125,000,000."

Why this wide difference? Well, the budget bureau, charged with keeping down expenditures, seeks to be safely conservative.

The treasury department, with a refunding program still to be completed, wishes to make the best showing possible.

That both agree, however, that the end of the year will show a surplus will be cheering news to the tax payers. The payment discrepancy is unofficially explained by a statement that the budget bureau allowed for the payment of certain obligations before July 1, which the treasury expects will be deferred until after that date.

President Harding may get a new slant on some of his subjects if he takes time to visit the Indians of Alaska's northwest coast, according to Dr. T. T. Waterman of the bureau of American ethnology.

It is among these Indians that the totemic art, expressed through weirdly graven totem poles, has reached its greatest perfection.

"A tremendous mass of ideas and usages has grown up, involving kinship, rules of marriage, property, religious ceremonies, and descent, all centered about these animal crests," said Waterman.

"To the Indian of this region, the most important thing in life is this animal crest or 'totem.' All his ideas and ambitions center about this hereditary animal progenitor and protector, the likeness of which he carves on all his utensils, paints on his housefront, tattoos on his arms and chest, paints on his face and carves on his memorial column."

"Curiously, to us, these people reckon kinship through the mother only. A man sets up a memorial column, not for his father, but for his mother's relatives—particularly her brother. A son has, according to their ideas, no connection with his father. A boy or young man looks to his maternal uncle for counsel and guidance; to them he owes veneration and respect and from them only he inherits property."

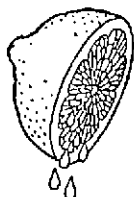
## VIOLIN RECITAL BY ROBERT McANESPIE

A very interesting recital was given last evening at the studio of Miss Angela O'Brien, by Mr. Robert E. McAnespie, violinist, assisted by Miss Margaret Driscoll, reader, and Miss Ellen McAnespie, pianist. Mr. McAnespie displayed an excellent technique and played with much feeling and expression. Miss O'Brien, from whom Mr. McAnespie received his musical training, was accompanist. The ushers were Edmund Brennan and James Fogarty. A large audience enjoyed the program, which was as follows:

Concerto No. 11, E. Minor... Accolay  
Reading, Robert E. McAnespie  
Mary Driscoll  
Italian Cradle Song, Chopin—Hartman  
Alla Turca... Bohin  
Berceuse, from "Jocelyn"... Godard-Gruenberg  
Kujawiak... Wienlawski  
By the Brookside... Orth  
Ballet Music... Slesu  
Un Peu d'Amour... Slesu  
Harp That Once Through Tara's  
Halls, Concert Transcription... Moore-Farmer  
Reading, Robert E. McAnespie  
March from Tannhauser... Wagner  
Miss Angela O'Brien, accompanist

## FRECKLES

Girls! Make Harmless Lemon Cream  
to bleach away Tan, Freckles



Mix the juice of two lemons with three ounces of Orchard White, which any druggist will supply for a few cents, shake well in a bottle, and you have a whole quart-ful of the most wonderful freckle and tan cream and complexion beautifier.

Massage this sweetly fragrant lemon cream into the face, neck, arms and hands each day and see how freckles and blemishes naturally bleach right out and how youthfully clear, soft and rosy-white the skin becomes.—Adv.

# 34th ANNIVERSARY SALE Cherry & Webb Co.

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## Looking Back a Bit—

Perhaps you remember—back in 1889 when we occupied a narrow frontage on John St., under the firm name of The New York Cloak and Suit Co.—and with the passing years have observed the steady progress of our expansion. Within a few months we shall be in our new building, occupying the entire corner of Merrimack and John Sts.—Nothing can stifle progress that advances in the right direction—Real Service is the parent of Good Will and Good Will is the backbone of our success. WE THANK YOU—

Silk Petticoats—Fine Jersey and Taffetas, in the wanted colors—according to pleated flounces with inserts of fancy colors; formerly \$3.00 and \$3.50. Anniversary Sale..... **\$2.64**

## BLOUSES

250 New Silk Overblouses—Styles that should sell for \$5.98 and \$6.50. Canton Crepes, Crepe de Chine, Tricoshams and Caravans. Special ..... **\$4.34**

150 White Waists—\$1.98 and \$2.50 values, in French Voile, Batiste and Dimity, in V neck and Peter Pan styles. Special for the Anniversary Sale at ..... **\$1.34**

75 Hand Made French Voile Waists—In V neck, square neck and Peter Pan styles, values to \$7.50. Anniversary Sale Price ..... **\$4.34**

—Main Floor—

Heavy Jersey Silk Bloomers—Cut full and wide, double elastic knee cuff, black, navy and suit shades; \$2.64 values... **\$2.64**

## HOSIERY

Full Fashioned Silk Hose—In light colors, also Pure Silk Selvaige Seam Hose, in black, white and colors, cordovan, gold, champagne. Values to \$2.25. Anniversary Price ..... **\$1.34**

Fancy Weave Silk Sport Hose—Also plain silks, in white, black, grey, tan and cordovan. Values to \$1.50. Anniversary Price ..... **\$1.00**

Ribbed Lisle Hose—Extra fine quality, greys, buff, two-tone mixtures, orchid, open, also ribbed to toe in black and cordovan. Special Values in Anniversary Grouping at..... **68c**

Lisle and Cotton Hose—Plain split sole, dropstitch and clock, white, black, cordovan and gray; only 10 doz. pairs so be quick. Pair ..... **34c**

—Main Floor—

12 Stone Marten Chokers—Way under price ..... **\$25**  
10 Fox Scarfs—Beauties. Only.... **\$15**

## Basement Shop

New Coats **\$10**  
Silk Capes **\$10**

Dandy Sport Models—In all the new shades in paires, shadow plaids, and Velours. Silk Capes, in plain and combinations of materials. VERY SPECIAL ..... **\$10**

House Dresses—Of fine ginghams, in all the latest colors and patterns. Anniversary Sale special groupings at ..... **\$1.90 and \$2.90**

New Jaquettes—In the Tans and gay colors that are so popular now. We were singularly fortunate in obtaining this shipment to sell at this price ..... **\$8.00**

we have ever held in all our 34 years of business. In celebration of our 34th Anniversary we are offering a complete assemblage of the highest grade merchandise—AT PRICES THAT SURPASS ALL PREVIOUS SALE OCCASIONS—Women acquainted with our exclusive apparel and our reliability as fashion leaders will readily realize the importance of attending this great event—Merchandise of guaranteed quality—exquisite new Summer Creations, at prices that spell economy to the pocketbook and thrift to the shopper—

## All Departments Join in Store-wide Celebration

## Coats=Capes=Wraps

On Sale—In the Great Anniversary Celebration

Splendid group of Bolivias, Velours, Twill Coats and Sport Plaids. In Dressy, Sporty and Jacquette styles. Values to \$25.00. Sale price

**\$18.34**

Bryonias, Bolivias, Velours, Murellas and Silks in Wrappy and Straight line styles; also Capes and Jaquettes. Values to \$32.50. Anniversary sale

**\$22.34**

Featuring a fine group of Twill Coats and Bolivias in Wrap-around and Straight-line models. Many with All-over Embroideries and Braiding. Values to \$39.50. Anniversary price

**\$27.34**

Luxurious Ormondalles, better Bolivias, etc., in a splendid showing of latest styles. Coats and Capes that would sell for up to \$55.00. Now offered at

**\$34.34**

**\$10 off**

All the highest grade Coats and Suits now selling at reduced prices from \$50.00 up.

**\$10 off**

## Splendid Suits

Offered at Spectacular Savings for Our 34th Anniversary

Suits that should sell up to \$25.00—to give zest to our celebration they will be \$18.34. They are Tricoshams, Polot Tricoshams, in Box and House Coat styles; also sport models in Tweeds, Camels Hairs and Jerseys. Now

**\$15.34**

Suits that have been selling at \$32.00 and \$35.00—Long-line and Tailored models in a large assortment. At anniversary time we forget profits in the thrills of the bargain festival. Join us tomorrow and be sure to see the suits at

**\$22.34**

Better Suits, selling to \$45.00 in a generous assortment for Anniversary Selling. You'll be impressed with the savings when you see them. Now only

**\$27.34**

A splendid group of the luxurious suits that are usually found in the price range of \$55.00 to \$60.00. Because we bought them right we can create a sensation in offering them at

**\$37.34**

75 Opossum Chokers—Special values for Anniversary at ..... **\$3.95**

Platinum Thibet Scarfs—Lucky purchase Sale price ..... **\$5**

## Charming Frocks

In All Their Dainty Freshness—Join the Anniversary Celebration—

Sport Frocks of Reshamara Crepe, Flat Crepe, Cottons and figured materials. Many with lace collar trimmings; others and particularly the Sport models, trimmed with fancy buttons. Dresses that sell up to \$22.50 when purchased through the regular channels, are offered for Anniversary at

**\$18.34**

Another group of dresses sure to create a sensation at this 34th Anniversary Sale price. Frocks that should sell up to \$25, but not here at this time; the C. & W. price is \$27.34, and between you and me, it's really very low. Come and see for yourself!

**\$27.34**

Dressy models of the better type, such as usually sell up to \$45.00. You find Crepe Reine and Flat Crepe and all the finer materials, many headed models included. Specials for the Anniversary Sale at

**\$34.34**

and we want the Kiddies too--

To Join the 34th Anniversary Celebration

Gingham Bloomer Dresses, dainty new patterns, well made. Specials for the Anniversary Sale.

**\$1.94**

Coats, Anniversary mark-down groups of dandy Spring models, sizes 8 to 14. Formerly sold to \$16.95. Now

**\$7.34 and \$9.34**

Gingham Dresses, sizes 8 to 17. Splendid values at this Anniversary Sale Price. New patterns, all well made,

**\$2.94**

Growing Girls' Skirts in all the new shades, Tweeds, Striped and Checked Velours. Special.

**\$3.34**

## More than a sale— A Celebration!

And rightly so—after 34 years of wonderful success, the Cherry & Webb Co. decided—weeks ago—to celebrate its 34th anniversary with a Great Celebration—buyers were instructed: "Go out and do something—bigger than ever before. Make this celebration the most talked of event in all Middlesex County." Backed by the prestige and enormous buying power of the C. & W. Syndicate, our buyers have accomplished just that. We ask every woman in Lowell and surrounding towns to share in the great savings—and the celebration itself. We are mindful of the confidence shown us, and the uninterrupted and wonderful patronage bestowed on us—and we ask that you accept our deepest appreciation for having helped to give this store the tremendous success it enjoys.

## ONE-THIRD OFF

Three-Piece Suits—Those exclusive one-of-a-kind models of Silk or Cloth, selling to \$100.00 .... **ONE-THIRD OFF**

## SKIRTS

A Splendid Lot of Wool Crepe and Prunella Stripe Skirts—Values to \$10.00. SPECIAL ..... **\$5.00**

Extra Sizes in All Wool Prunella Stripe Box Pleated Skirts—With stitched hips; \$12.50 values. A lucky purchase lets us offer them for Anniversary at ..... **\$6.95**

200 Wool Crepe and Baronet Satin Skirts—Worth \$13.50. Our Skirt Buyer sure made friends when he handed us these to sell at ..... **\$8.95**

300 Wonderful Silk, Wool Crepe and Exclusive Sport Skirts—Selling to \$16.05, at ..... **\$10.45**

Costume Slips—Fine English Saten or Linette, shadow-proof, gathered hip, plain top, white, black, navy, grey and tan. Special ..... **\$2.34**

## Sweaters

Slip-Ons—In all the wanted new colors and styles. Regular \$2.00 Wool Worsted. Anniversary Sale ..... **\$1.34**

Fancy and Plain Weave Slip-Ons—in round and V neck styles, some trimmed in contrasting colors, finished with worsted or leather belt; formerly \$3.50 and \$4.00. Special purchase, also clearance group from our own stock. Anniversary Sale Price.... **\$2.64**

75 Clever New Sweaters—\$5.00 values Sleeveless Coats, Jaquettes and Gold Sport Coats, also Fibre Silk Tuxedos ..... **\$3.64**

Fancy Silk Kerchiefs—Two special groups—you'll want one for Summer Sport wear. These are special values at ..... **\$2.34 and \$2.84**

—Main Floor—

27 Squirrel Chokers—Fine full furred pelts; three to a scarf. Special ..... **\$6.95**

## Basement Shop

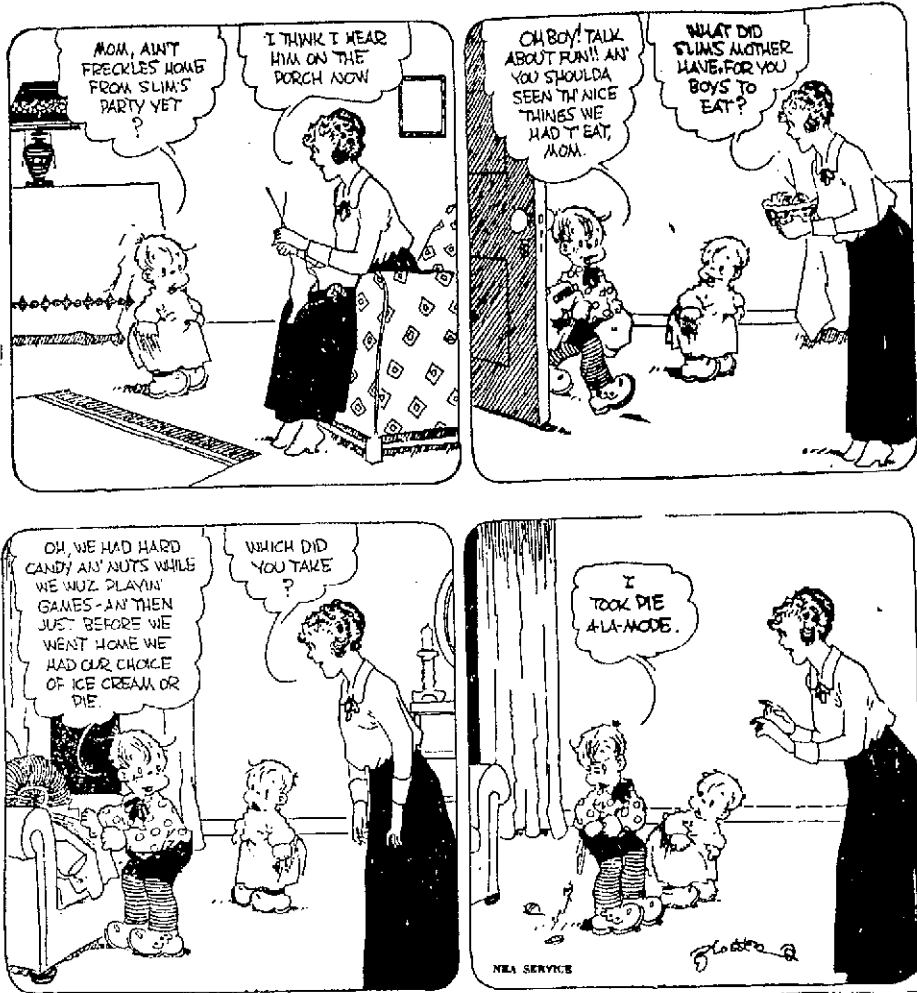
Dresses - - **\$5**

A Thriller—Special Purchase of Beautiful Frocks of Alltime Crepe with Paisley tops in all colors, also Serges and Jerseys. See these wonderful values at..... **\$5.00**

Skirts Dandy new pleated wool crepes and plenty of them, out generously full, all the wanted shades, also wrap-around models in various sport fabrics. Anniversary Sale Specials ..... **\$4.34**

Jersey Suits—In all the wanted Sports shades, practical, serviceable and very attractive styles. Special purchase brings \$16.75 suits for Anniversary Sale at ..... **\$8.50**

FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS



FAVORABLY IMPRESSED WITH LOWELL

Arthur A. Shurtleff, of Cambridge, noted city planner and zoning expert, was in Lowell yesterday afternoon as the guest of the city fathers for the purpose of making a preliminary survey of local conditions, particularly parks, street routings and proper provision for expanding residential districts.

planning board, Mr. Shurtleff was taken on an extensive tour of the city, visiting every section where residence development is being planned. Mr. Shurtleff came to Lowell on his own suggestion and the survey he made was without cost to the city and the report he submits should be of unusual interest and value, and may lead to a formal and exhaustive survey at a later date.

On the whole, Mr. Shurtleff was favorably impressed with the city as he saw it during his automobile tour yesterday, although his eye found things that are in need of development and change. Strict zoning ordinances are needed in residential districts as well as more definite traffic, parking and street routing plans.

AMUSEMENT NOTES

**R. P. KEITH'S THEATRE**  
"Recuperation," the comedy knockout at R. P. Keith theatre this week, is just good enough to cause anybody to feel rather better after seeing it. Jack Norton & Co. give the pleasant little affair, which holds many snappy bits, a lively and a bit this week. Norton has the great gift of putting over an act faultlessly. He is a great favorite. There are other points about this show worth while, including Mabel Burke and Norma Lehighland in their song hits of the current year. Watt & Hawley are novel in all that they do and Kurt and Edith Kuehn are funny and musical, too. Others are Carr & Bray, dancers, and Michon Bros., equilibrists.

LOWELL OPERA HOUSE

Just as she delighted thousands of the throngs of this city years ago when she made her first appearance here, Nance O'Neil, America's greatest tragedienne, is delighting hundreds in her greatest starring success, "The Passion Flower," the great attraction at the Opera House this week. Audiences can be seen leaving the Opera House daily and if you were to stop anyone of them and inquire just how they liked Miss O'Neil the response would be more than enthusiastic. Supporting Miss O'Neil are Alfred Hickman, another well known Bolshoiu star, and the Al Luttringer Players, including Miss Hanson, Victor Browne, Richard Morgan, Margaret Slavin, Helen Kinzel, Fred Harvey, Malcom McLeod and J. Russel Webster and others.

THE STRAND

"Are You a Failure?" You might ask yourself this question and then go and see the picture of that same which is opening a three days' engagement at The Strand today. It's a satire on advertising in the eye of the beholder, striking you in the eye with a picture of all kinds of terrible things, like eating with your feet on the table and the like. Written by the magazine favorite, Larry Evans, it moves from an amusing beginning to a screaming climax, with good laughs and speed enough for two ordinary pictures, yet never losing the human touch that makes it so genuinely enjoyable.

THE GIBSON FROM AMERICA

"The Gibson from America," with Ed (Hoot) Gibson in the lead, is the other picture choice. This is a story of a rough and run into all kinds of experiences and adventures. It has a series of humor-making situations that help make it one of the most amusing pictures of the season. The usual Weekly and other features help make the bill a most commendable one. See it all.

RIALTO THEATRE

Today is the last showing of the double feature program which opened at the Rialto theatre yesterday afternoon. Richard Barthelmess in "Sonny" is the leading production of the program, while William Duncan in "When Danger Smiles" makes an excellent second feature.

THE GIBSON FROM AMERICA

very bad, and in need of immediate improvement. Mr. Shurtleff was entertained at dinner at the Verlek club and was sincerely thanked for his interest in the city and in appreciation of the time spent in making a preliminary survey.

NEW BRITISH CABINET MEETS

**Lord Curzon Presents Latest Russian Note to Baldwin Ministry**  
Trade Relations to Continue—Disputed Questions Go to Conference  
LONDON, May 24.—(By the Associated Press.) At Prime Minister Baldwin's first cabinet meeting held at noon today Lord Curzon presented the latest note from Soviet Russia for consideration of the ministers. The relations between Great Britain and Russia, he thought, the present trade relations with Russia will be continued and the disputed questions remaining settled at the conference table.

Lord Robert Cecil Accepts

LONDON, May 24.—(By the Associated Press.)—Although Lord Robert Cecil's reported appointment as chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster has been confirmed officially, the morning Post's announcement that he has accepted the office seems to be in accordance with the probabilities of the situation.

Some of the newspapers assert that the names of the new ministers will be announced today; others say they will be announced tomorrow.

There is also a snappy comedy

cellent running mate on the same bill. There is also a snappy comedy.

MERRIMACK SQUARE

"Safety Last!" at the Merrimack Square theatre is fast drawing to a close. Only three days remain to see this big seven-reel bundle of laughs, giggles and roars. It's a scream from start to finish. Incidentally it furnishes the most blasphemous parody of plenty of thrills. There's a big surrounding program with this attraction and there is no advance in prices. Don't miss the current show.

GREAT SEAT SALE FOR "LIGHTNIN"

A heavy demand is already indicated for the engagement of "Lightnin'" at the Opera House for two nights beginning next Monday, May 28, the sale of seats for which will open at the box office tomorrow morning. "Lightnin'" is a comedy by Winchell Smith and Frank Bacon, and has broken all kinds of theatrical records since its first production at the Clary theatre, New York, five years ago. After continuing there in sensational popularity for three years, it played the Blackstone in Chicago for two years, and comes here direct from seven sensational months at the Hollis Street theatre, Boston. "Lightnin'" takes its title from the principal character, Lightnin' Bill Jones, an ardent admirer of John Barleycorn, and Baron Munchausen, yet as gentle and lovable as old champagne. It is a hilarious comedy, the scenes are laid near Reno, in a hotel on the dividing line between California and Nevada. Percy Pollock will appear in the title role and will be supported by the same splendid cast that has been identified with "Lightnin'" since the night of its metropolitan premier five years ago.

HUGGING GIRLS NOT A PAYING BUSINESS

Frank Finnich, aged about 35 years, was fined \$25 in the district court this morning for assault and battery "on certain women whose names are unknown." According to the testimony of the arresting officers, Alfred Conroy and Francis Moore, Finnich was annoying young ladies on the Lakeview avenue show grounds last night by putting his arms around them and otherwise molesting them. He had been complained of the night previous and was carefully watched by the officers last night. Finnich said he had not been on the show grounds until last night, and admitted that he is married and has one daughter.

WHEN SLEEP IS UNREFRESHING

**Neurasthenia Is to Be Suspected Especially If the Blood Is Thin and Nerves Are Weak**

Many nervous troubles from which women suffer can be classified as neurasthenia and can be corrected by proper treatment.

"I was melancholy and uneasy," says Mrs. Annie K. Loughton, 47 No. 19 Smith street, Portland, Me., "and I am sure that my blood was thin. I was tired all the time, my appetite was nearly gone and nothing lasted good. My sleep was disturbed and did not refresh me."

"My physician recommended Dr. Williams' Pink Pills and said they were just what I needed. I felt encouraged to give them a good trial and had not taken them long before I noticed an improvement in my condition. I felt better, ate better and slept better. My strength returned and I had more ambition. Dr. Williams' Pink Pills proved to be just the tonic I needed and I am so grateful for what they did for me that I have recommended them to many others."

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Your own druggist sells Dr. Williams' Pink Pills or they will be sent by mail, postpaid, on receipt of price, 60 cents per box, by Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Schenectady, N. Y. Write for free booklet on nervous disorders which contains a chapter on the treatment of neurasthenia.—Adv.

FUNDAMENTALISTS ARE JUBILANT OVER VICTORY

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., May 24.—Action of the general assembly of the Presbyterian church of the United States of America in adopting the resolution of the Dr. Harry Emerson Fosdick case, sponsored by the fundamentalists and rejecting the recommendations supported by the liberalist element, was hailed today as the greatest victory of the convention by the former group.

The fundamentalists opposed to the liberal interpretation of the Bible as expounded by Dr. Fosdick, succeeded in forcing the adoption of a minority report of the committee on bills and overtures, which directs the New York Presbytery to require the preaching in the First Presbyterian church of New York city to conform to the Presbyterian doctrine.

William Jennings Bryan, who with two Philadelphia ministers, the Rev. Gordon A. McLennan and the Rev. Clarence E. Macartney, led the fight against the majority report, was highly elated at the result.

The assembly is scheduled to come to a close today, but due to the mass of unfinished business doubt is expressed as to whether adjournment can be taken.

GERMAN INVENTOR DEAD

NEW YORK, May 24.—Dr. Hans Goldschmidt, German chemist and inventor of the Thermo process of welding iron and steel, died in Baden-Baden, Germany, on Sunday, according to a cable received today.

**OPIMUM COMMISSION MEETS**  
GENEVA, May 24.—(By the Associated Press.) The fifth session of the opium commission opened today at League of Nations headquarters here with nine countries represented, including the United States, whose delegates are Representative Stephen V. Porter of Pennsylvania, Ju. Rev. C. H. Brent, and Dr. Rupert Blue, with Edwin L. Rev. Germany, one of the largest exporters of cocaine, is represented, but Switzerland has no delegate present, she having declined to ratify the opium convention of 1912.

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—NEXT WEEK—  
Wednesday and Thursday

"Challenge of Chance"

—WITH—  
Jess Willard

**CROWN Theatre**  
—TODAY—  
FRED STONE in  
"BILLY JIM"

PEARL WHITE in "PLUNDER"

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LAST TIMES TODAY

"MOTHER O' MINE"  
A First National 5-reel drama of mother-love. Don't miss it!

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## RECEPTION TO REV. AND MRS. JOHN T. ULLOM

Rev. John T. Ullom, recently elected pastor of the Matthews Memorial Primitive Methodist church, and Mrs. Ullom, were tendered a reception last evening in the vestry of the church on Gorham street. Thomas Gardiner, moderator of the church, was chairman of arrangements.



REV. JOHN T. ULLOM

Rev. and Mrs. Ullom received their friends from 7 to 8 o'clock. They were assisted by Mrs. N. W. Matthews, Rev. Elijah Humphries and Miss Hazel Ullom. Short remarks were made by visiting clergymen. Prayer was offered by John Pooler and singing by the congregation preceded the speaking. Vice President Sam Aquino of the Eastern conference, Thomas Nubio, Richard Campbell and Rev. Arthur Riley, delegates of the church to the conference, gave reports on progress made.

Rev. Richard Peterson, pastor of the Highland Congregational church, who was closely associated with the late Rev. Nathaniel W. Matthews, addressed upon the members of the church.

support their new pastor. Rev. Mr. Ullom, the final speaker of the evening, thanked the members of his congregation for their splendid reception and asked their help and co-operation in conducting the affairs of the Matthews Memorial P. M. church. Rev. Arthur Riley pronounced benediction. Charles Pierce and Miss Irene Potter contributed songs during the evening. Miss Irene Matthews presided with readings. Music was furnished by the church orchestra. Mrs. J. Norris headed the large group of women who had charge of preparing and serving refreshments. The others for the reception were: John Brown, Walter Matthews, Arthur Chapman, Lester Prescott, Freeman Page, Frank Kilbury, Owen Taylor, Carl Johnson, Roy Dobbs, Herbert Potter, James Broadbent, Frank Goss, Charles Nellis, James Brown, Ralph Dukeshire, Harold Blakely, Joseph Higginbotham, Norman Murray and Hector Brown.

### BIRTHDAY PARTY

A very pretty party was given at the home of Mrs. C. A. Laurie, 108 Westford street, Tuesday evening. The party was given in honor of her daughter, Miss Gertrude E. Laurie, on her 21st birthday. She was the recipient of a number of very pretty and costly gifts. The house was prettily decorated with pink and white. During the evening games and dancing were enjoyed, also some very fine vocal and piano selections and readings. After refreshments were served the rest of the evening was spent in dancing. When the party broke up at a late hour, all joined in good wishes for Miss Laurie and agreed they had spent a most enjoyable evening.

### DANCE IN NO. BILLERICA

Tonight at the Thomas Talbot hall, in North Billerica, there will be a dance that will equal anything in the entertainment line ever conducted in this section. The sponsors for this party are a group of young women of the town who conduct these affairs under the name of the Irish Irish Girls. As a special attraction Frederick's orchestra will give a group of dancing numbers used in all of the leading cabarets in the country.



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## NURSES GRADUATE AT LOWELL GENERAL

The annual graduation of the Lowell General hospital took place at 8 o'clock yesterday afternoon. Six student nurses who had completed their training course successfully were presented their diplomas and pins before a large audience of relatives and friends, as well as trustees of the hospital. The graduates were Edith Eugenie Haines, Beatrice Constance Audet, Ethel Pearson, Alice Peterson Young, Blanche Blais and Eva Formard Monette.

Lion John Jacob Rogers was the principal speaker and his subject was "Nursing From the National Viewpoint." Dr. Howard W. Jewett, president of the physicians' staff of the hospital, also gave an interesting talk, and the final speaker of the afternoon was Dr. G. Forrest Martin.

The American Ladies' orchestra and the hospital nurses' glee club furnished a pleasing entertainment program during the exercises.

Larkin T. Trull, vice president of the trustees, presented the diplomas in the absence of Arthur G. Pollard, president, who was prevented by illness from being present. Miss Christine McLeod, superintendent of the hospital, presented the nurses' pins to each of the graduates.

A buffet supper, reception and dance was held at St. Anne's parish house commencing at 8 o'clock. The trustees and their wives assisted the graduates in receiving.

Only natives may own land in Java, foreigners being permitted to lease it for periods up to 75 years, on condition half the area is available free for growing rice for the natives.

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## TYPOGRAPHICAL UNION ELECTS OFFICERS

At a meeting yesterday of the Lowell Typographical union, Fred A. Speed, secretary-treasurer of the organization for the past 17 years, was elected president for the ensuing year. He was unopposed for election.

The new president has been a tireless worker for the union for a great many years and his election to the



FRED A. SPEED

presidency is but worthy recognition for services rendered in the past. He has been a familiar figure at New England and International conventions of the Typographical union and his wide experience in things of that nature will prove beneficial in guiding the destinies of the local branch during his regime.

Other officers and delegates, chosen at yesterday's meeting are as follows: Vice-president, Joseph M. Reilly; secretary-treasurer, Michael L. Labella; recording secretary, Fred Brown; executive committee, J. Frank Burke, J. Joseph Duggan, Thomas J. Durkin and Nathaniel W. Matthews; Allied Printing Trades Council, J. Frank Burke, Thomas J. Durkin and Michael L. Labella; auditing committee, John Griffith, Cleveland K. Nobles, Joseph M. Reilly; delegate to I.T.U. convention, J. Frank Burke; alternate, Fred Brown; delegate to N.E.T.U. convention, Joseph M. Reilly (news); Michael L. Labella (book and job); alternates, Orrell C. Gaudette (news), Charles E. Sheldon (book and job).

It is announced that the International convention will be held at Atlanta, Georgia, while Pittsfield, Mass., will be the scene of the New England gathering.

## SUMMARY OF EARLY MORNING A. P. NEWS

Presbyterian fundamentalists at Indianapolis, Ind., by William J. Bryan, force through the general assembly resolution regarding Dr. Harry Emerson Fosdick of New York city to conform to the Presbyterian doctrine in his preaching.

Dr. A. Lawrence Lowell, president of Harvard, declared in Washington address that he believes President Harding went too far in recent declaration that he was absolutely opposed to entering the League of Nations.

General Assembly of Southern Presbyterians meeting at Montreal, N. C., gives women right of representation on its executive committee.

Louisville Courier-Journal says unending flow of whiskey is moved from Louisville to Chicago in 21 powerful automobiles, manned by expert drivers and gunmen guards.

Message from Jacob Gould Schurman, United States minister to China, says that morale of prisoners held by Chinese bandits is becoming lower.

New York delegation to Northern Baptist convention at Atlantic City passes resolution urging Gov. Smith to veto repeal of the Mulholland act.

J. P. Morgan, in announcing plans for lending syndicate to float in California \$25,000,000 of \$100,000 American loan, says bond will help improve business conditions of the world.

Death in New York city of David Hillhouse, bull, once president of Georgetown university and former member of the Jesuit order.

Producer and 13 persons in the cast of the New York play, "God of Vengeance," are found guilty of presenting an indecent show.

London observers regard Krasin note to Great Britain as making important concessions by Russia.

Prime Minister Baldwin faces difficult task in selection of new chancellor of the exchequer after the declaration of post by Sir Robert Horne.

Five killed and at least sixty wounded in latest estimate of casualties in

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clash between striking Ruhr miners and the Dortmund police.

Massolini's friends think he played master stroke in expelling Capt. In-dovani from the Neapolitan Fascist. Some advices say.

## Outlaws Whipping of Convicts in Florida

TALLAHASSEE, Fla., May 24.—Governor Hardee yesterday signed a bill outlawing the whipping of convicts in this state. Instructions were immediately issued to convict wardens and guards.

## Rum-Runner Ships Disappear

NORFOLK, Va., May 24.—The steam yacht Isar of the rum fleet disappeared yesterday from her position off the Virginia Capes after the government tug Mascoutin, with guns mounted for any emergency, had moved within hailing distance. The steamer Caronia, listed by government agents as a rum runner, also has disappeared.

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\$4.00 WHITE SILK STRIPE SHIRTS—All Sizes—Big Roomy Bodies—Made Right....	\$2.45
\$2.65 HARRISON'S REPUTATION SHIRTS—Highest Quality Corded Goods—Made to Fit.....	\$1.85
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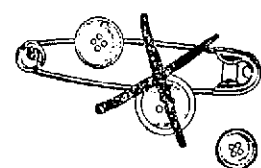
\$1.00 Clocked Silk Hose..... 65c

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"Munsingwear" Fine Athletic UNION SUITS.....	\$1.45	85c Men's BALBRIGGAN UNDERWEAR.....	59c
"Munsingwear" Fine Balbriggan UNION SUITS.....	\$1.95	\$1.50 Fine BALBRIGGAN UNION SUITS....	89c
"Munsingwear" Fine Lisle UNION SUITS.....	\$1.95	\$2.50 Men's SILK TOP UNION SUITS.....	\$1.35
\$1.50 Finest Nainsook UNION SUITS.....	95c	"Otis" Finest BALBRIGGAN UNDERWEAR....	98c
\$2.00 Otis Fine Lisle UNION SUITS.....	\$1.35	75c Men's NAINSOOK SHIRTS.....	29c
\$1.50 Fine Balbriggan UNION SUITS.....	95c		
\$1.00 Fine Nainsook UNION SUITS.....	69c		
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## Uninterrupted Stream of Whiskey

LOUISVILLE, Ky., May 24.—An uninterrupted stream of whiskey is moving from Louisville to Chicago in 24 high powered automobiles, each manned by a trained driver and gunman guard, the Louisville Courier-Journal today says it has learned from an official who had been watching a garage here for a year.

## This Laxative Works Fine on Old People

Thousands here kept themselves healthy with Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin

ADVANCING age with its subdued ambitions and strivings could be made very happy if only good health accompanied it, and the basis of good health, as everyone learns upon reaching the age of 60, is the regular daily movement of the bowels. If it can be effected through the food you eat, the water you drink and the exercise you take, so much the better. But if nature will not operate it must be assisted or sickness will follow. Neglected constipation causes the blood pressure to go up 28 per cent, and that is the forerunner of hardening of the arteries. It makes rheumatism and gout worse, too.

The ideal constipation remedy for people of advancing years is Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin, a vegetable compound of Egyptian senna and pepsin with pleasant-tasting aromatics. It is gentle and mild, and does not cramp or grip. It is a mistake to think you need a violent salt or powder or pill, calomel, coal-tar drugs and such things. They purge and

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weaken you, and their reaction tends to make you more constipated than before.

Now try the milder method. Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin does not lose its good effect with repeated use, and increased doses are unnecessary. Mrs. E. M. Burgess of Enfield, N. C., who is 73, keeps herself in good health with it, and Mr. Charles Chorman of Stapleton, Staten Island, N. Y., wasted fifteen years and considerable money on other remedies before finding steady relief with Syrup Pepsin.

Use Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin yourself the next time you suffer from constipation, biliousness, headache, sleeplessness, indigestion, piles or night cramps. Many thousands of elderly people use nothing else, and it costs them less than a cat's paw. Druggists have sold it successfully for 30 years, and it is the most widely bought family laxative in the world.

TAKE DR. CALDWELL'S SYRUP PEPSIN  
The family laxative

## FORMER LOWELL MAN VISITING OLD HOME

John H. O'Neill, of New Orleans, Louisiana, a former resident of Lowell and son of Mr. and Mrs. Jeremiah O'Neill, of 178 Walker street, this city, is spending a short vacation at the home of his parents. Mr. O'Neill is a graduate of the Lowell public schools and also of the Massachusetts Institute of Technology. After graduating from this latter institution he accepted a position with the sanitary department of the state of Louisiana and later became sanitary engineer for the state. He served during the war as a captain in the Engineer Corps, and at the close of the war returned to his duties as sanitary engineer for Louisiana.

### GONE TO CALIFORNIA

Mrs. Elizabeth Hobbs and daughter, Miss Gertrude Hobbs, of Appleton St., left Lowell yesterday for California where they plan to reside indefinitely. They will first go to Pasadena and undoubtedly will take up residence there. Miss Hobbs was with Nelson & Co. for several years, but more recently was in charge of the candy department in James J. Gallagher's new store in Merrimack street.

## Judge Enright to Make Lawyers Toe the Mark

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of violating the motor vehicle law by failing to give his name and address after his machine had knocked down a little girl in Adams street. The girl was uninjured and according to the testimony at a previous hearing, she ran away before her name could be learned. Because he failed to give his name and address following the accident, however, he was fined \$20, the minimum amount for such an offense. Mike Sikut, charged with maliciously destroying property, had his case placed on file, restitution in the sum of \$15 having been made for damages to a door caused by defendant. Joseph Jesus paid a fine of \$10 for unlawfully using registered milk bottles.

Chester McPhail pleaded not guilty to illegal sale and was continued until May 26. An illegal keeping charge against John Kuzilek was continued until May 31.

On a plea of not guilty to drunkenness, Michael Murray was continued until tomorrow morning, bonds being fixed at \$200. A non support charge against Father's Vreitas will be heard in two weeks, while James Louprakis, charged with peddling without a license, was continued until Monday next.

## REPUBLICAN WOMEN MEET TOMORROW

Morning and afternoon sessions will be held at the district conference of republican women in Middlesex hall tomorrow. The idea of serving luncheon at noon has been abandoned and instead there will be a two-hour intermission between 12 and 2 o'clock. At the afternoon session 1100, John Jacob Rogers will speak on "Achievements of the Present Administration," and it is expected the attendance will be large. Women prominent in party affairs in the state will be speakers during the day.

## CHURCH BALL TEAMS IN BATTLE ARRAY

The First Congregational church nine were defeated by the Calvary Baptist church team at the Aikens street grounds last evening, in a five inning game by the score of 10 to 3. The winners drove six tallies across the rubber in the opening frame. Alexander featured for the losers in the field. Myhr in left and Kenyon's double play assisted were the fielding points for the winners. Batteries: Kenyon and C. Flynn for Calvary; Lamson, Carpenter and Sinnott for Congregational.

Rainbow-hued walking-sticks and vividly colored spats are the latest masculine "fashions" in Paris.

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## Present Their Views On Consolidation

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the territory into one system, instead of allowing two or more of the large railroad mergers proposed under the consolidation plan to compete there for business.

Pres. Hustie's Address  
WASHINGTON, May 24.—A suggestion that an arrangement be made between the Boston & Maine railroad and either the Canadian Pacific Railway or the Canadian National Railway, was placed before the Interstate Commerce commission here today at the hearing on consolidation of the New England railroads by President James H. Hustie of the Boston & Maine.

"The Boston & Maine has a substantial interchange with the Canadian Pacific direct and with the Grand Trunk (now the Canadian National Railway) through the Central Vermont," President Hustie said. "New England traffic is regarded as attractive by both of these lines, and a high quality of service is maintained through these northern gateways, which has probably been quite as effective in maintaining the popularity of these routes as have the western differences."

"The suggestion has been made that one or the other of these lines might take over the Boston & Maine. It is doubtful whether the commission has power under the statute to recommend consolidation of American roads with the two large Canadian systems. Moreover, important political considerations would be involved in such an arrangement. But there is nothing to prevent some arrangement short of actual consolidation satisfactory to those interests and ours, and I trust that the findings of the commission in this case will not foreclose us from entering into such an arrangement. In any event, and in any plan which the roads adopted the importance of these routes not only to New England but to the Boston & Maine, of course, be recognized."

Not Seeking Alliances  
Asserting that if the Boston & Maine were left free to conduct its own negotiations, he had no doubt that arrangements satisfactory to its owners and users could be made, President Hustie said that the railroad is not seeking alliances with other railroads unless it is wanted.

"After all, what the country wants and what New England wants is good transportation," he said. "What the railroads want or what the Boston & Maine wants, is to have their full value recognized in any trade that maybe made in the future."

"For the commission to decree that this or that particular plan must be rigidly adhered to in those instances where these would otherwise be bargaining possibilities as between several interests might result in serious loss to the owners of the properties affected and indirectly to the territory served."

### B. & M. Important Unit

President Hustie pointed out that the Boston & Maine is an important and necessary transportation unit with a financial structure enabling it to earn a return that should restore its credit, enable it to develop its property, and return a satisfactory transportation service. "The commission is aware of the financial results since the return of the roads to the end of federal control," he added. "The Boston & Maine system comprises over 2500 miles of railroad in northern New England and a considerable portion of the territory which it serves is exclusively dependent upon it for railroad transportation. The northern half of Massachusetts is served almost exclusively by the Boston & Maine, the state of New Hampshire almost entirely so, as are also important sections of Vermont and Maine."

### Carried Billion Passengers in Year

"In the year 1920, it carried over 2,700,000,000 tons or freight one mile, over one billion passengers one mile. Its freight traffic measured in ton miles more than doubled in the 20 years between 1901 and 1920 and the passengers carried one mile increased 60 per cent in spite of the incroachment of the automobile."

"Figures in millions or billions of traffic units do not carry any special significance except to students of transportation," he said. "What the Boston & Maine not only handles more tons than the Union Pacific, Northern Pacific or Frisco Railroads but that it has a higher freight traffic density per mile of line than the Burlington, Santa Fe, Northwestern, Great Northern, Rock Island, Missouri Pacific, Northern Pacific, Frisco and Southern in the United States, is a fact that is hard to realize. It is a fact that in passenger traffic density the Boston & Maine leads all the roads above mentioned."

Declaring that while New England has not grown as fast as some parts of the country, it has by no means gone backward, President Hustie cited statistics to show the increase of capital invested in New England industry and of population. "Of the textile situation, he said:

N. E.'s Industrial Preeminence  
"We hear much about the textile industries leaving New England and it is true that the growth of these industries outside of New England and particularly in the south, has been rapid. Nevertheless, in 1920 New England cotton mills had over 17,000,000 spindles, or 47.6 per cent of the spindles operated in the United States. It is a matter of common knowledge that the available labor in the south has been largely absorbed, and with the industrial problems now arising in the water power of northern New England and the adjoining portions of Canada, it is not unreasonable to expect that New England's industrial preeminence will continue in the textiles as well as in the many other fields of manufacturing."

"Of the proposed 'All-New England' consolidation plan, President Hustie said that in his judgment the arguments in favor of the plan, particularly as it may be expected to solve the financial difficulties, are too indefinite, of the proposed consolidation of the

### New England roads with a trunk line

he said:  
Owners Entitled to Fair Return  
"In my judgment, it would be both to the advantage of the Boston & Maine as well as to the territory served by it, to be affiliated with a strong east and west system. Whatever economies in management or operation might result from a New England system would be more than offset by economies resulting from an affiliation with a trunk line which would result in a long haul under one management. At the present time the only system answering that description is the New York Central."

"The Boston & Maine would be of real value to any trunk system," he said. "It is not a property to be scrapped or to be taken over as a bankrupt concern at the expense of its owners, who are entitled to a fair return on their investments and should obtain it if the act is interpreted as I believe it will."

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The members of the classes were in the main children hardly in their teens and they amply demonstrated their ability as fancy dancers. Miss Conley, Rona Brown and Norma Conley, all under four years of age, went through a rather intricate number without faltering in the slightest.

Miss Conley appeared but once during the entertainment and that as a solo dancer in a solo, "Bluebell." She was assisted by eight of her pupils, all the dancers.

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The evening's program opened with the singing of a hymn to the Blessed Virgin and prayer by the pastor, Rev. John P. Flynn, O.M.I. After the banquet the following entertaining program was successfully carried out: Miss Grace Burke, banjo; Miss Marion McFadden, piano; Miss Helen Lavon, violin; vocal solos: Misses Veronica Barr, Sadie Kenney, May E. Burke, Lucy Sharkey, Rev. William F. Mahan, O.M.I., and Rev. James McCarlin, O.M.I. The guests of the evening were the priests of the parish and Rev. Martin Norton, O.M.I., and Rev. James McCarlin, O.M.I., who are conducting the men's mission in the Sacred Heart church this week.

The following officers of the sodality

comprised the committee in charge: President Anna Mullin, Vice President Lucie Sharkey, Secretary Mary E. Burke, Treasurer Margaret Connolly.

**WILL ATTEND MEMORIAL MASS**

Edith Prescott Walcott auxiliary, No. 2, U.S.W.V., will attend memorial mass at St. Peter's church on Sunday, May 27. Members of the auxiliary are asked to meet in front of the church at 10:30 o'clock and enter in a body, with the president. The mass will be celebrated at 11 o'clock and the sermon will be by Rev. D. J. Heffernan.

The regular meeting of the auxiliary will be held next Monday evening, at which time general orders covering exercises on Memorial day will be received. All members are earnestly requested to attend both of these events.

**STANDARDIZATION TRIALS**

ROCKLAND, Me., May 24.—The new scout cruiser Detroit is today being given her standardization trial over the official course of this coast, with the veteran navigating officer, Captain Joseph Kemp, in the pilot house. No definite speed is set by navy department for ships of this type but it is understood success of the Detroit depends upon her making better than 32½ knots. Her sister ship, the Richmond, last week broke the record for ships of the class with a speed of 34.48 knots.

## DISCUSS SITE FOR A. O. H. CLUBHOUSE

A special meeting of the Central Council, A.O.H., and the trustees of the A.O.H. building fund was held in A.O.H. hall, Middle street last night for the purpose of submitting the reports of the committee appointed May 14 to investigate possible sites for a new Hibernian clubhouse in this city. This committee consists of James J. McManmon, Dr. Patrick J. Bagley, John O'Sullivan, James O'Sullivan, Mrs. Maria O'Connor and Mrs. Nora Sheridan.

Several locations were discussed, but no action taken.

There will be a special meeting of the three local divisions of the A.O.H., the Ladies Auxiliary, Irish National Foresters and Clan na Gael in A. O. H. hall on the night of June 8 to further discuss the proposition.

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The craze for flowers of the more expensive and popular class has bid fair to cause old-fashioned zinnias, marigolds, cockscomb and petunias to be forgotten. The common flowers, however, have an important place in our scheme of gardening and, in fact, are worthy of more attention on the part of everyone who plants a garden.

Among the many advantages of zinnias and other annual flowering plants in their class are small cost and quick results. Where it is desired to have a border of flowers along the vegetable garden, one packet, each of zinnia, marigold, cockscomb, phlox and petunia will supply a variety of pleasing color from midsummer until frost.

By starting the plants in the house and transplanting them to the garden they will bloom considerably earlier. The easy way, however, is to sow the seeds in the place where the plants are to grow.

## Castor Beans

Where something large is wanted to hide an unsightly background plant a double row of castor beans, using the large bronze sort for the back row and the dwarf green sort for the front row. A few plants of cosmos can be worked in between the castor beans and a row of zinnias in front so that a complete screen will be formed.

Sunflowers, not the very large kind but the smaller ones, are very effective for mixing with the other plants. Spider flower is also good for mixing in with other plants that grow from two to four feet in height.

After all, there is no power that is

quite so effective as scarlet sage or salvia for mass planting. A double row of salvia, growing in front of a green hedge of California privet, is very striking and attractive. Zinnias could also be used this way but in either case plenty of water must be given the plants because the hedge draws heavily upon the moisture supply in the soil.

There are at least 20 of the old-fashioned flowers, any of which may be used to advantage especially in backyard and border planting. The cost of starting and growing them is small. The list includes, in addition to those already mentioned, cornflower, love-lies-bleeding, larkspur, China asters, snapdragon, garden balsam, four-o'clock, zinnia, candytuft, Japanese pink, Iceland poppy, lobelia, pansies and forget-me-nots.

## Strawflowers

Strawflowers, called "everlasting flowers" by our grandmothers, are again coming into popularity, mainly because they make a beautiful border as a summer flower and in addition the flowers can be cut and dried and hold their color for use in the house during the winter. The seed of the strawflower may be sown in the open ground but the plants do better if started in the house and transplanted to the garden.

Strawflowers want good soil and the plants should be set about 18 inches apart and grow about 20 inches high. The flowers for use in the house during the winter should be cut before fully grown and dried in the shade. A good plan is to tie the cut flowers together in small bunches by their stems, hang them in newspaper, leaving the ends of the stalks open and hang in a cool dry place.

After all, there is nothing equal to zinnias and a number of others of their class for quick results in hiding a fence or some such unsightly background. At this time even on a screen of shrubbery and more permanent plants can be planted.

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Vegetable Compound. I took a couple of bottles of it and thought it did not help me as much as it should, so I gave it up to try something else. Nothing I took helped me much, so I finally decided to give the Vegetable Compound another trial and to take enough of it to make sure it would help me. I have taken it over a year now and it has brought wonderful results. I have gained from 95 to 110 pounds and am keeping house now. My friends all notice the change in my health. I will be glad to answer all letters that women write to me about the Vegetable Compound." Mrs. W. G. MONSON, 1515 Park Ave., Beloit, Wis. Mrs. Monson is willing to write to any woman suffering from such troubles.

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833 Kc. 360 Meters  
7.35 p. m.—Children's story, "Hans and His Dog," told by Miss Georgina A. Speare.  
7.40 p. m.—Announcement of baseball results.  
7.45 p. m.—Piano solo by Lorimer Eschelman, numbers to be announced.  
Radio play, "The Bishop's Candlesticks," a one-act play founded on an incident in Victor Hugo's novel, "Les Misérables."  
8.30 p. m.—Program by an orchestra from the Knights of Columbus Choral Society, Council No. 178, Rochester, N. Y.: By the orchestra: "Woodland Rose," "Brahm's Lullaby," "Killerney," "Rosary," "Venetian Love Song," "Bass solo, 'The Armourer's Song,' from 'Robin Hood,' sung by G. G. Harvey; tenor solo, 'Wild Irish Rose,' sung by John Rottler; bass solo, 'Rose of my Heart,' sung by A. Bayer; tenor solo, 'Only You,' and 'Rose in the Bud,' sung by Edward S. Swales; Miss Minnie O'Laughlin, pianist.  
9.00 p. m.—Weather forecast.

**STATION WEA, NEW YORK**  
609 Kc. 492 Meters  
7.30 p. m.—"Varieties in the Experience of a Standard Practice Engineer," a talk by Harrington Emerson.  
7.45 p. m.—Concert by the Long I Grotto Glee club: "The Lord's Day" (Kreiser); "Kentucky Babe" (Luders); bass solo by William J. Moore; "The Big Bass Viol" (Snyder); by the Glee club "Heidelberg" (Luders); tenor solo by Edward Kittel; "Carolana" by the Glee club, "Huzza."  
8.05 p. m.—One-act plays given by the pupils of Theodore Ursula Irvine.  
8.15 p. m.—Concert by the Long I Grotto Glee club. Program: "The Last Chord" (Sullivan); tenor solo by James V. Hess; "Send Me a Blue Bird" (McCarry); by the glee club, "Mother of Mine" (Burleigh); "Laughing" (Ahl); bass solo by Alexander Melville; selection to be announced; by the glee club "Come Where My Love Lies Dreaming" (Foster).  
8.45 p. m.—One-act plays given by the pupils of Theodore Ursula Irvine.  
9 p. m.—Recital by Maximilian Rose.



Russian violinist, accompanied by David Sapiro. Program: "Romance" (Wienlawski); "Caprice" (Vescey); "Hebrew Lullaby" (Schon); "Guitarre" (Moskowitz).  
8.15 p. m.—"The Research Laboratory and Public Health," a talk by Dr. W. H. Park.  
8.30 p. m.—Concert by the Bell Male quartet, composed of New York Telephone company employees. Program: "Machree's Lullaby," "Coal Black Mammy," "Little Rover, Won't You Come Back Home Again," "Pretty Bobbed Hair Peggy."  
9.45 p. m.—Recital by Maximilian Rose. Russian violinist. Program: "Nocturne E. Minor" (Chopin-Alex); "Le Coucou" (Berg); "La Gitana" (Kreiser); "Introduction at Tarantella" (Sargate).  
10 p. m.—Concert by the Bell Male quartet. Program: "Lost, a Wonderful Girl," "Red Moon" and "Me Back, I'll

**STATION WJZ, NEW YORK**  
(669 Kc. 455 Meters)  
7.45 p. m.—Soprano solos and duets by Misses Heatty and Bennett.  
8 p. m.—"Dogs," by Frank Cole.  
8.15 p. m.—Soprano solos and duets by Misses Heatty and Bennett.  
10.30 p. m.—Piano solos by Merwin Howe: "Ride of the Valkyries," Wagner; "Serenade," Rachmaninoff; "Humoresque," Rachmaninoff.  
11 p. m.—Piano solos by Merwin Howe: "Polonaise," "Goraceuse," "Mazurka" (Chopin); "Flaubert's Boy," "Humoresque," Rachmaninoff.  
**STATION WGY, SCHENECTADY**  
739 Kc. 330 Meters  
7.40 p. m.—Baseball scores.  
7.45 p. m.—Radio drama, "What Happened to Jones." Instrumental selection from the musical comedy, "You're in Love" (Prinz-Schlemmer). WGY instrumental quartet.  
8.15 p. m.—Piano solo by Merwin Howe: "Ride of the Valkyries," Wagner; "Serenade," Rachmaninoff; "Humoresque," Rachmaninoff.  
11 p. m.—Piano solos by Merwin Howe: "Polonaise," "Goraceuse," "Mazurka" (Chopin); "Flaubert's Boy," "Humoresque," Rachmaninoff.

## Italy Celebrates Anniversary of War

ROME, May 24.—(By the Associated Press)—The anniversary of Italy's entrance into the war was celebrated today throughout Italy—this year for the first time as a solemn function generally observed. Hitherto the government has not encouraged the celebration which has been opposed by the socialists and communists. All over Italy there were parades, ending with the laying of wreaths on soldiers' graves.

## Greeks Ready to Quit Lausanne

ATHENS, May 24.—Premier Gonnatas, announcing today that the Greek delegation at Lausanne has been ordered to leave in the event the conference declares in favor of indemnity for Turkey, added that decision on the question must be made by Saturday of this week. The Greek government, he said, reserves liberty of action.

## Demand \$25,000 For Death of American

PEKING, May 24.—(By the Associated Press)—The American legation has transmitted to the foreign office a demand of \$25,000 an indemnity for the death of Charles Colman, an American, who was shot by Chinese soldiers last December, in an alleged dispute over the export of silver.

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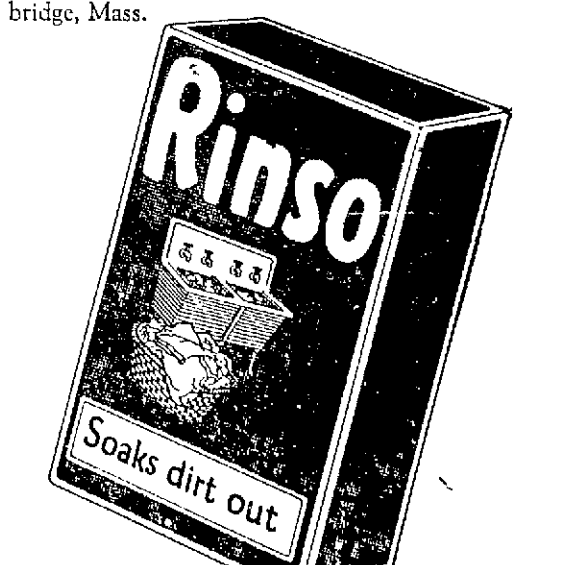
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# Both Boston Major League Teams Win Over Their Western Opponents

## EAST PUT IT OVER ON WEST

Western Teams Outclassed in Recent Series With Eastern Ball Clubs

Giants Clean Up Cardinals—Both Boston Teams Won Yesterday

NEW YORK, May 24.—In the main the east had all the best of it during the two baseball invasions that ended yesterday. American league teams from the east won the majority of their western contests, while the eastern Nationals battling on their home grounds, sent the western invaders back with more losses than victories to their credit.

While the Giants were making a clean sweep of the St. Louis series, 4 to 1, Brooklyn climbed over Chicago into fourth place by downing the Reds, 7 to 1. Boston helped precipitate the Cubs by beating them, 6 to 4, and the Pirates continued their joy ride in Philadelphia, again beating the Phillies, 7 to 6.

The trips of the western National League clubs have disclosed an almost unbeatable team in the New York Giants. The world's champions kept their old teammate, Fred Toney, from rubbing it in yesterday by easily mastering him while Jack Bentley, the former Baltimore star, who may be said to have replaced Toney, pitched his best of the season.

After taking every series with the west, the Giants receive the Phillies today and should continue to pile up a lead. Philadelphia, however, showed life yesterday by forcing the Pirates to extend themselves to win, which is about all the Quakers have done this season, their victories all together totalling only eight.

The trip with Philadelphia has been beneficial for the Pirates as it gave them an opportunity to steal away from St. Louis and gain a half grip on second place. Touted as the strongest team of the west, the Cardinals had less luck with the Giants than the Pirates for whom Babe Adams twirled one victory.

Today the Cardinals meet the Pirates in Pittsburgh in a battle for second place, which is bound to help the Giants.

The four eastern American League clubs play each other today while the western quartet do likewise. The Philadelphia Athletics, the marvel team of the season, have a chance to overhaul the speeding Yankees in their own Shibe Park and Detroit and Cleveland start on what should be a tame series for both, being respectively against Chicago and St. Louis.

Boston which receives Washington today, won the only American League contest yesterday from Cleveland, 3 to 6, it was the Red Sox ninth victory this year.

## Cy Williams Threatens Babe's Record

NEW YORK, May 24.—Cy Williams, sensational home run hitter of the Philadelphia Nationals will eclipse Babe Ruth's all-time record of 59 circuit clouts set in 1921, if the Quaker slugger maintains his present pace. Williams yesterday laced out his 16th homer, close to two weeks ahead of Ruth's schedule in 1921, when the Yankee clouter hit his 16th on June 3. Ruth at this stage of the 1921 season had collected an even dozen homers, so that Williams now has an advantage of four. Ruth now has but eight homers to his credit.

## SPALLA AFTER DEMPSEY

European Champion Issues Challenge for World's Championship Bout

Kearns Reports "Enormous" Offer for Dempsey-Wills Bout at Great Falls, Mont.

MILAN, May 24.—(By the Associated Press) Ermino Spalla of Italy, holder of the European heavyweight boxing title, today challenged Jack Dempsey to a bout for the world's heavyweight championship.

Spalla, once a sparring partner in Dempsey's camp, won the European title from Vandever, the Hollander, here last Sunday.

For Dempsey-Wills Bout

GREAT FALLS, Mont., May 24.—Jack Kearns, manager of Jack Dempsey, yesterday received an "enormous" offer from Dan Tracy, Great Falls hotel man and mine owner, to match Dempsey and Harry Wills here next Labor day, according to a special dispatch to the Great Falls Tribune. The figures were not made public but Kearns said it was "real money."

"I sue to reason why the Dempsey-Wills match could not be staged successfully in Great Falls and I consider Mr. Tracy's offer very favorable," Kearns said.

## MAD HATTER TO RUN

To Attempt to Win the Metropolitan Handicap for Third Straight Time

NEW YORK, May 24.—Mad Hatter, one of the fleetest campaigners of the Racecourse stable, winner of the Metropolitan handicap in 1921 and 1922, is foremost among the entries for the 1923 renewal of the event to be run as the feature of Belmont Park opening today.

The Racecourse stable has named Flying Cloud, Grey Lag and Knobble along with Mad Hatter as probable starters, but it is doubtful if all of them will face the barrier. Should Mad Hatter be sent out in an attempt to win the event for the third straight time, it is probable that Earle Sande, who rode him in his victories of 1921 and 1922, will have the mount.

## YALE TRACK TEAM

NEW HAVEN, Conn., May 24.—The Yale track team will leave this afternoon for Philadelphia to participate in the intercollegiate championships tomorrow and Saturday. The Yale squad will number 11 athletes and will be accompanied by Head Coach Mack, Assistant Coaches Qualls, Merriam and Comstock, and Manager J. N. Pharr.

## Kinks o' the Links

by "PRO"

In what year did Edward Ray win the American national open championship and who were the runners-up that year?

Edward Ray won the title in 1920 at the Inverness club at Toledo, O., with a score of 295. The battle for the title that year was one of the most sensational ever staged. Harry Vardon, who came over with Ray, as well as Leo Diegel, Jack Burke and Jack Hutchinson finished just one stroke away.

If upon reaching the green a player discovers that his ball is resting against the flagstick, while it is in the hole, what is the proper procedure in such a situation?

The player shall be entitled to remove the flagstick and if the ball falls into the hole, the player shall be deemed to have holed out at his last stroke.

What are the rights of a player when some loose impediment on the putting green, in his opinion, interferes with his next shot?

Loose impediment may always be lifted from the putting green.

When a ball is driven into permanent water, such as a brook or pond that is a regular part of the course, and it is impossible to find the ball, how should the next shot be played and what is the penalty for driving into the water and being unable to find the ball in play?

If able to recover the ball driven into the water it is customary to play the same ball. However, if unable to recover it, no additional penalty is attached for such failure. Simply drop a new ball, keeping the spot where the ball went into the water between you and the hole. You suffer a penalty of one stroke in such a situation.

Can an amateur golfer write articles on golf for pay provided he is the actual author of same?

The rule relating to the forfeiture of amateur standing says: "A player forfeits his amateur standing if he receives pay for articles on the game which he did not actually write."

## Do you know Baseball?

by Billy Evans

Questions—If it is discovered that the batter is the wrong hitter, the count being two strikes and two balls at the time, can he be removed and the proper batter substituted?

Two—With runner on third and two out, batter strikes out. Ball gets away from catcher, runner on third scoring. Batterman reaching second. Batterman fails to touch first and is called out, retiring side. Does run count?

Three—Batterman steps out of box, having received umpire's permission to do so. As he steps back into the box and still is in motion, not having taken his position, pitcher delivers ball. Has he such a right?

Four—Ball strikes in foul territory and goes down third base line about a foot foul all the way. Then it strikes the bag, bounds in and comes into contact with bag. Is it fair or foul?

Five—Batter tries to dodge wildly pitched ball. It strikes his bat and results in a grounder to pitcher who

## Criqui Impresses Boxing Experts

NEW YORK, May 24.—Boxing experts were variously impressed with their first professional view yesterday of Eugene Criqui, European featherweight champion, who will attempt to take the world's title of the division away from Johnny Kilbane of Cleveland at the Polo Grounds, June 2. The Frenchman, using sparring partners who came from France with him, disclosed a hitch in his right cross that the experts concluded would be easy picking for a lightning thrust that the Kilbane of yore had. But whether the Kilbane of 1923 has the same rapidity of punch is doubted by them.

## Rawlings Plays With Pirates Today

PITTSBURGH, May 24.—Johnny Rawlings, the hustling second sacker or recently sold to the Philadelphia Nationals by the New York Giants will appear in the lineup of the Pittsburgh club when the Pirates and St. Louis clash today. Rawlings, regarded as one of the best second basemen in the game, comes to Pittsburgh as the result of a trade involving four players, announced in Philadelphia last night. With Rawlings comes Pitcher Lee Meadows from the Phillies, while in return the Pirates have given up Pitcher "Whitey" Glazner and Second Baseman "Cotton" Tierney to the Quakers.

throws batter out at first. Can that be done?

Answers—Manager has perfect right to substitute proper batter who takes the count of two strikes and two balls.

Two—Run does not count as batter scores on a play in which the third out is a play on which the batsman fails to reach first.

Three—Umpire should not permit the ball to be delivered until the batter had actually taken his proper position in the box. He should regard the pitch as nothing in such a situation.

Four—It is a fair ball when it strikes the bag, regardless of the fact that it was foul all the way down the line.

Five—Ball is in play in such a happening and fielder had the right to retire batsman at first.

## O'LOUGHLIN DEFENDS TITLE

ENGLEWOOD, N. J., May 24.—Marty O'Loughlin of Plainfield, N. J., will defend his title as New Jersey open golf champion today against a strong field of professional stars in the 50-hole tournament over the Englewood Links.

## VARNUM GRAMMAR SCHOOL EXHIBITION

The students of the Varnum grammar school gave an exhibition of their physical training work yesterday afternoon on the school grounds before a large number of relatives and friends.

Over 700 students of the various grades participated in the exhibition, which was mostly along the line of hand work, Swedish movements, and calisthenics. All were dressed in white, and the various grades were designated by different colored bows, as follows: Eighth and ninth grades, blue; seventh, red; sixth, rose pink; fifth, light pink; and fourth and third, white.

The exhibition was given under the direction of Physical Instructors Donald R. MacIntyre and James Roane. The regular instructors are James Roane and Miss Nellie Horner.

Following the exhibition, a food and cake sale was held under the manage-

ment of the ninth grade. The proceeds of the sale will be devoted to the class fund. Nine tables were arranged in the school corridors and rooms and practically everything that was for sale was the handiwork of the pupils and their friends.

## GRACET V. KENWOOD

A baseball game between Gracet Centre and Kenwood schools teams played yesterday afternoon resulted in a victory for the Centre aggregation, the score being 2 to 1. The line-ups were as follows: Kenwood—G. Wolzgang p. Dawson c. Kydd 1b. D. D. Calkins 2b. Hyde 3b. P. H. Calkins 4b. J. Wolzgang c. Anglin ss. Centre—DeForge p. Koniczang c. Gledhill 1b. Albert 2b. Schiers 3b. Alexios 4b. Bessel c. E. White c. Burrows ss.

## MEMORIAL SERVICE

A memorial service will be conducted at the Gracet Centre Congregational church next Sunday morning. The service will be for the members of the Centre and Hillsdale Congregational churches. The principal speaker will be Congressman John Jacob Rogers.

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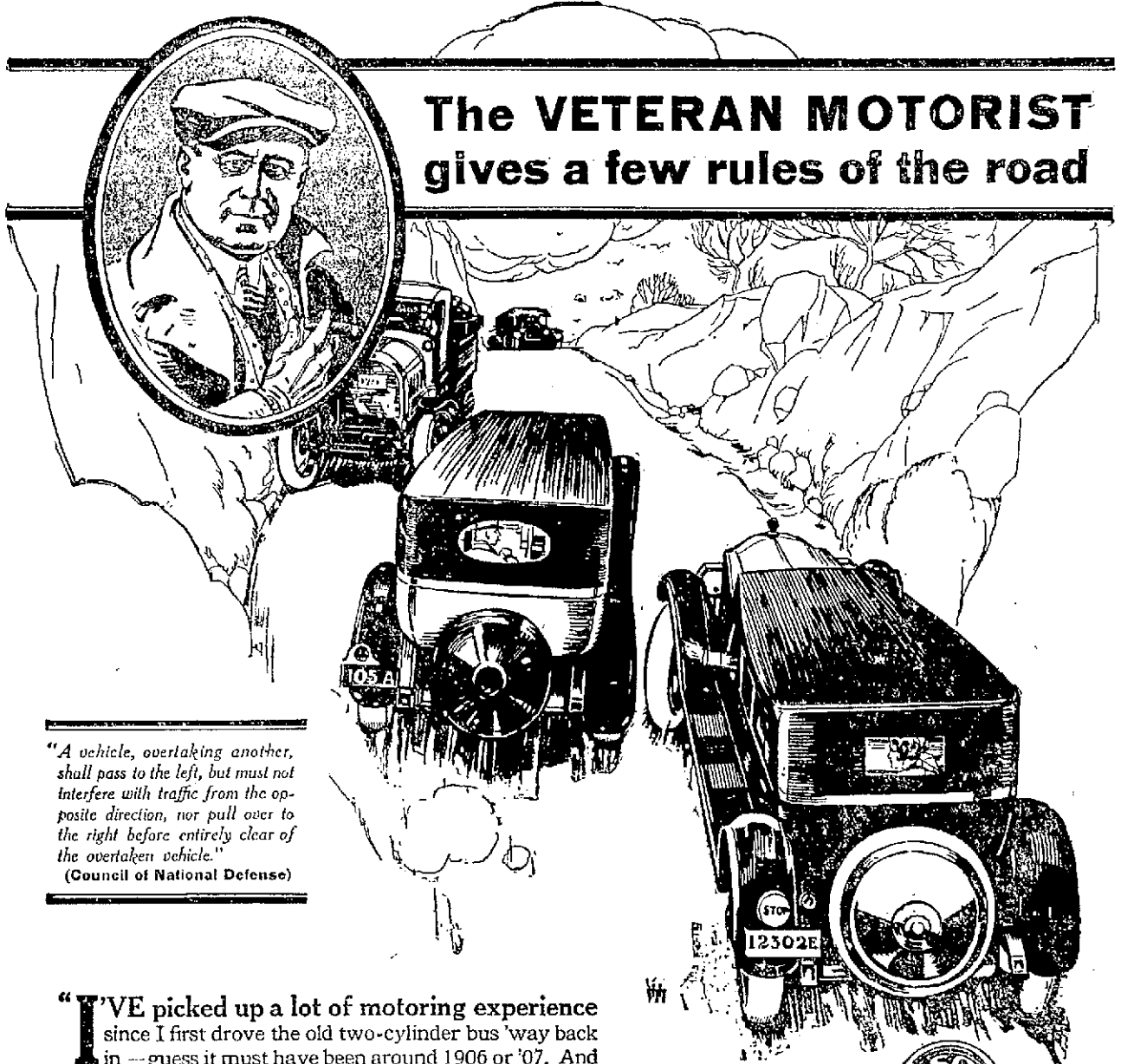
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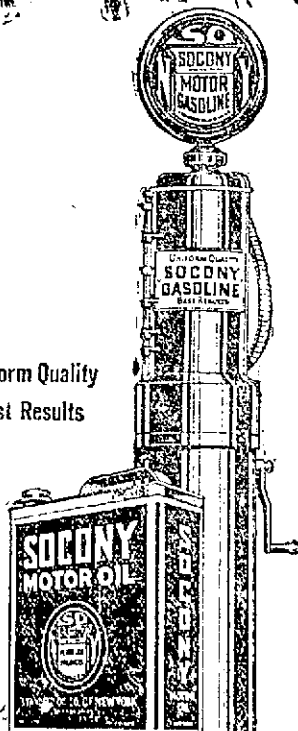
"A vehicle, overtaking another, shall pass to the left, but must not interfere with traffic from the opposite direction, nor pull over to the right before entirely clear of the overtaken vehicle." (Council of National Defense)

"I've picked up a lot of motoring experience since I first drove the old two-cylinder bus 'way back in—guess it must have been around 1906 or '07. And there are two rules of the road that I've always stuck to. 'Safety first' is one of them, and 'consideration for the other fellow' is the second.

"I really believe that it's because I have stuck to them that I haven't had a single smash-up. (Three taps on wood, as I write this!) Just take the matter of passing a car. Simple enough—sure. And the driver that uses common sense and a little consideration never has any trouble. But this habit—and it's mostly a habit—of always trying to get ahead of the fellow in front of you is the cause of more close shaves and real accidents than any other one thing I know of.

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## COUNSEL FOR FORMER GREEK COMMUNITY PRESIDENT TAKES ACTION AGAINST MEN WHO EJECTED JOHNSON FROM CHURCH

As a result of the election of Apostolos Johnson, former president of the local Greek community, from the Greek Orthodox church last Sunday, James E. Markham, counsel for Mr. Johnson yesterday filed a petition for contempt with Justice Marcus Morton at the jury waiting session of the superior court, praying that James Kirkkila, Constantine Panagiotopoulos, Constantine Karagounis, Dracos Georgoulas, and fourth paragraphs of the second, third and fourth paragraphs of the said decree, assaulted and ejected from the church, building the plaintiff Johnson and prevented him from entering the church and exercising the duties and privileges of his office as president of the Greek community, and interfered with his rights as president, and the defendant, Constantine Vargapoulos in violation of the said decree expressed the rights and privileges of the plaintiff Johnson as president of the said corporation, and aided, abetted and assisted the said other defendants in the acts heretofore complained of.

The petition further states that the defendants incited and urged numerous other persons to aid and assist in ejecting and assaulting said Johnson and interfering with his rights as president, and the defendant, Constantine Vargapoulos in violation of the said decree expressed the rights and privileges of the plaintiff Johnson as president of the said corporation, and aided, abetted and assisted the said other defendants in the acts heretofore complained of.

After the petition was filed, Justice Morton set next Monday morning as the date for the hearing at which time arguments for and against the petition will be heard.

In the petition it is claimed that on the 16th day of May, 1923, the superior court entered a final decree in the action of Apostolos Johnson et al. and Constantine Vargapoulos et al. and that copies of the decree were legally served upon the defendants by a deputy sheriff. It is also claimed that on the 18th day of May, James Kirkkila, Constantine Panagiotopoulos, Constantine Karagounis, Dracos Georgoulas, and fourth paragraphs of the second, third and fourth paragraphs of the said decree, assaulted and ejected from the church, building the plaintiff Johnson and prevented him from entering the church and exercising the duties and privileges of his office as president of the Greek community, and interfered with his rights as president, and the defendant, Constantine Vargapoulos in violation of the said decree expressed the rights and privileges of the plaintiff Johnson as president of the said corporation, and aided, abetted and assisted the said other defendants in the acts heretofore complained of.

## UNITARIAN CONVENTION BRIEF BUT IMPORTANT WIRE DESPATCHES

Consider Causes Which Make for Increased Attendance of Men at Services

BOSTON, May 23.—Consideration of the causes which make for increased attendance of men at church services and the year's record of the Alliance of Unitarian and Other Liberal Christian Women, divided interest in today's events of the annual Unitarian anniversary week exercises.

Delegates from 10 chapters of the Unitarian Laymen's League in churches where attendance by men has achieved the largest increase during the year, were entertained at breakfast as guests of the national organization. Afterwards they described the methods by which the men of their church were induced to accept greater responsibility in the conduct of the church through attendance at services. Careful analysis of their reports will be made and the conclusions will be made public.

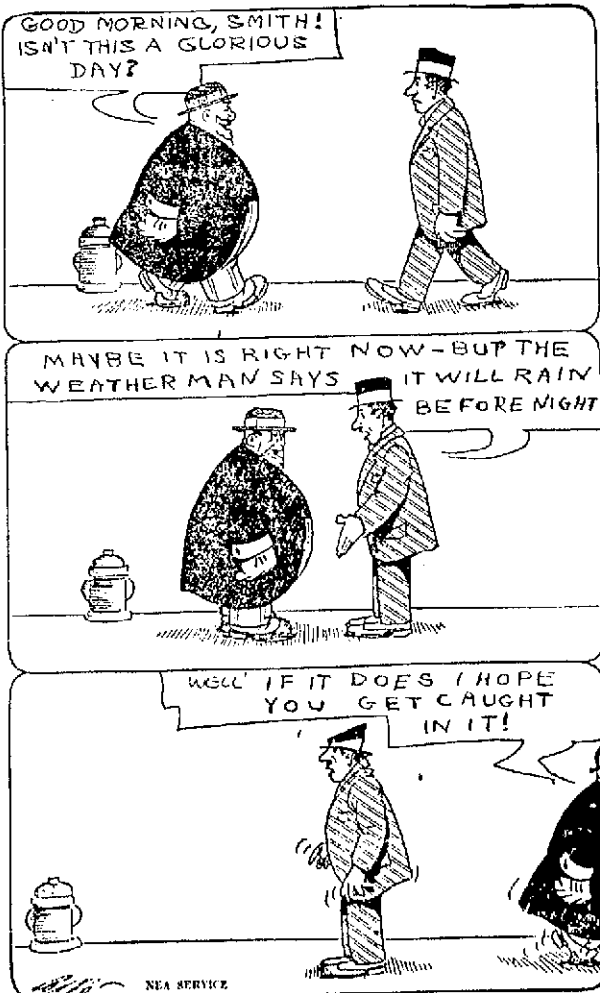
At the 33rd annual meeting of the women's alliance it was reported that in the four months of the Unitarian campaign by and with young people, 44 new societies have been organized in Unitarian churches throughout the United States and Canada as compared with the same number in the entire 12 months ending in May, 1922.

Miss Lucy Lowell, for several years president of the Women's alliance, retired today and was succeeded by Mrs. Oscar C. Gallagher of Brooklyn, who was elected yesterday.

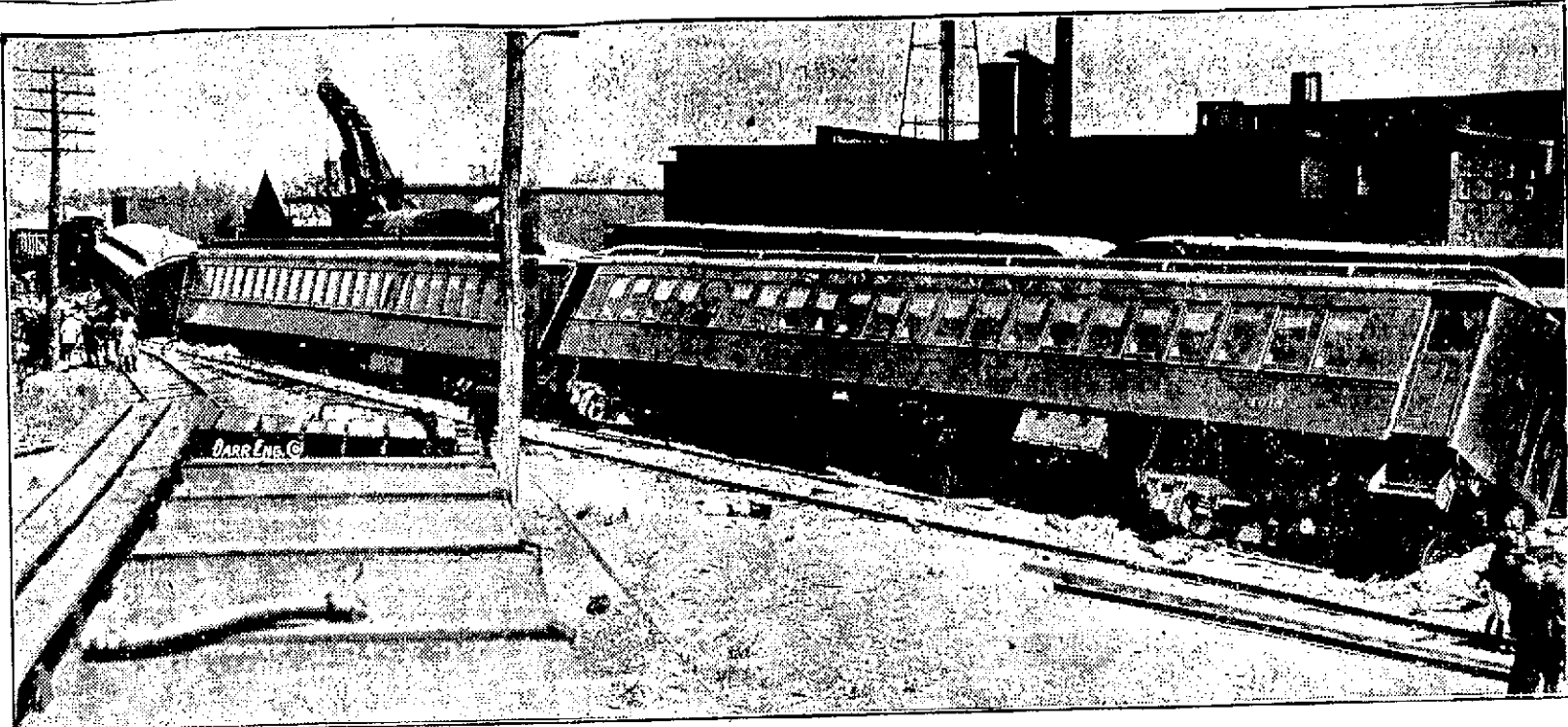
### DRUG ADDICT PLEADS WITH JUDGE TO SEND HER TO INSANE ASYLUM

PHILADELPHIA, May 23. A woman 40 years old, sentenced for the fifth time to the house of correction for using narcotic drugs, today pleaded with Judge Harry S. McDevitt to send her to an insane asylum. She said she honestly intended to stay away from the drug and added "I really and truly believe without entertaining any thought of levity that there is something wrong with my brain."

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## CONVENTION IN UPROAR TO LET WILLARD BOX IF HE PASSES EXAMINATION

New York Pastor Objects to Presence of Pres. Faunce at Baptist Convention

ATLANTIC CITY, N. J., May 23.—Dr. John Roach Straton, pastor of Calvary church, New York city, caused the session of the Northern Baptist convention to be thrown into an uproar today when he objected to the presence of President W. H. P. Faunce, of Broken University.

Dr. Straton, a strict fundamentalist, protested against the presence of Dr. Faunce on the ground that the university was too liberal in its views. A roar of disapproval and hisses drowned Dr. Straton's protest, as Dr. Faunce rose to speak.

The industrial life of today was defined as the foe of the home and the church as a caricature of the Christian order of society by President Faunce.

"In the industrial life around us pagan principles too often prevail," he said. "When the industrial world is divided into two parties, one determined to give little labor for much money, and the other determined to give little money for much labor, our industrial life is simply a continuous silent warfare. Men do not exist to make shoes or barrels, but shoes and barrels are made for men. Our present acquisitiveness must be transformed into a constructive society, aiming not primarily at dividends or wages, but at the service of men."

Mr. Faunce declared the most vital of all tasks today is to make "Thy Kingdom come" in our international relations. He questioned whether people of today believed in Christian principles or whether they believed "might was right."

"The Christian religion," he declared, "cannot endure such a national attitude and it repudiates all greed, rapacity and oppression even when those things wear the mask of pseudo-patriotism."

Dr. Straton opposed delivery of Dr. Faunce's address on the ground that Brown did not require a teacher to sign his beliefs regarding a Baptist creed, but permitted individual interpretation.

Copies of Dr. Faunce's prepared speech had been distributed among the delegates before the session opened. He had Frederick E. Thayer of Indianapolis, chairman, turned toward Dr. Faunce to introduce him, when Dr. Straton said:

"We should not permit Dr. Faunce to speak at this time when there is a controversy on within our ranks. He

should not be permitted to expound his liberal views, which are now under criticism. I demand that he be prohibited from speaking and that he be removed from the speaker's platform."

Here a storm of hisses forced Dr. Straton to take his seat. The storm of disapproval continued for several minutes before the chairman, pounding with his gavel, was able to restore order.

## DR. ORR DEAD Was Member of Old Time Telegraphers

KEENE, N. H., May 23.—Funeral services for Dr. Harry W. Orr, a member of the Old Time Telegraphers, for 25 years connected with the Associated Press and International News Service, who died May 21, at his farm in Marlow, will be held there tomorrow.

Death came on the eve of his 69th birthday anniversary.

Dr. Orr was graduated from Philadelphia Dental college in '79 and practiced his profession in western Pennsylvania 18 years. He then took up newspaper telegraph work. Most of the 25 years was spent in Pittsburgh, Pa. He was well known on the wires in the eastern part of the country. He is survived by a widow and one son, Harry C. Orr.

GOOD WILL DELEGATES SAIL

NEW YORK, May 23.—One hundred and ten business women from many parts of the country, members of the Good Will delegation to France, sailed today on the France, for a month's trip through the devastated areas over \$600,000 was raised through votes cast for the delegates for the work of the committee for devastated France.

## OUR BOARDING HOUSE



## OUT OUR WAY



ELF DAKIN WAS JUST PASSING THE CROSSING WATCHMAN'S SHANTY WHEN HE SPOTTED THE OFFICER WHO HAD A SUBPOENA FOR HIM.



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THE OLD HOME TOWN

# SIX KILLED IN WRECK AFRAID THE LIGHTNING MIGHT STRIKE AGAIN

Negro Porter and Five Men  
Riding "Blind" Baggage  
Lose Lives in Train Crash

ABILENE, Tex., May 24.—At least six persons were killed, including a negro porter and five men, said to have been riding the "blind" baggage, one engine man probably fatally injured, and two or three others less seriously hurt, when two Texas & Pacific passenger trains collided early this morning, midway between Cisco and Putnam, Tex.

## COUNCIL WILL ACT ON \$10,000 POLICE LOAN

The members of the city council will hold an adjourned meeting tomorrow evening at 8 o'clock to take action on the bill introduced by Councilman Frederick A. Sadler providing for a \$10,000 loan for the police department. The bill was passed by the council some time ago but was vetoed by Mayor Donovan, and ten votes are necessary in the council to pass the bill over the mayor's veto.

This meeting is likely to prove very interesting as the members of the council in favor of the bill believe that they will have the necessary ten votes to pass it over the mayor's veto, while several members of the council think it will be impossible to get more than seven or eight votes in favor of it tomorrow night.

## WILL DISCUSS EDSON SCHOOL QUESTION

A meeting of the school committee and the sub-committee of the city council on the Edson school question will be held at city hall this evening at 7:30.

As the proposal for a new building in the South End section of the city for school purposes has met with defeat, the meeting tonight will be for the purpose of discussing ways and means of repairing the school so that it will be safe for the children who must attend it. The sub-committee of the council on this question is composed of Councilors Frederick A. Sadler, James E. Hennessey, Arthur B. Chadwick, Joseph A. N. Christen and Eugene A. Fitzgerald.

ANOTHER HUSBAND MAN  
As one of the popular employees of city hall was strolling about the streets in the downtown section of the city yesterday, he happened to find a sum of money in a purse on the sidewalk. This money is now at the city clerk's office and can be had by the owner if he or she will go there and identify the property.

BUY TRACT OF LAND  
A tract of land, the area of which is between 3 and 4 acres, and located in Rutland road has been purchased by Alvah Sturges and Austin H. Keables. The sale was effected through the office of T. H. Elliott. The new owners plan to erect several modern houses on the site in the course of the summer.

INVITED TO NASHUA  
An invitation to all members of the Lowell Fish and Game association to attend a smoke talk and entertainment in Grange hall, Nashua, N. H., this evening at 8 o'clock, standard time, has been extended by the Nashua Fish and Game club.

## Fires Burn Over 1000 Acres Near Cape Cod

SANDWICH, May 24.—Fires in the woodland in this section of Cape Cod had burned over more than a thousand acres today but the flames were not approaching any village and no buildings had been destroyed. The fires, which died down during the night, flared up with a freshening of the breeze today, and large parties of residents turned out to fight them. While some good timber has been destroyed, most of the land burned over was covered with scrub growth.



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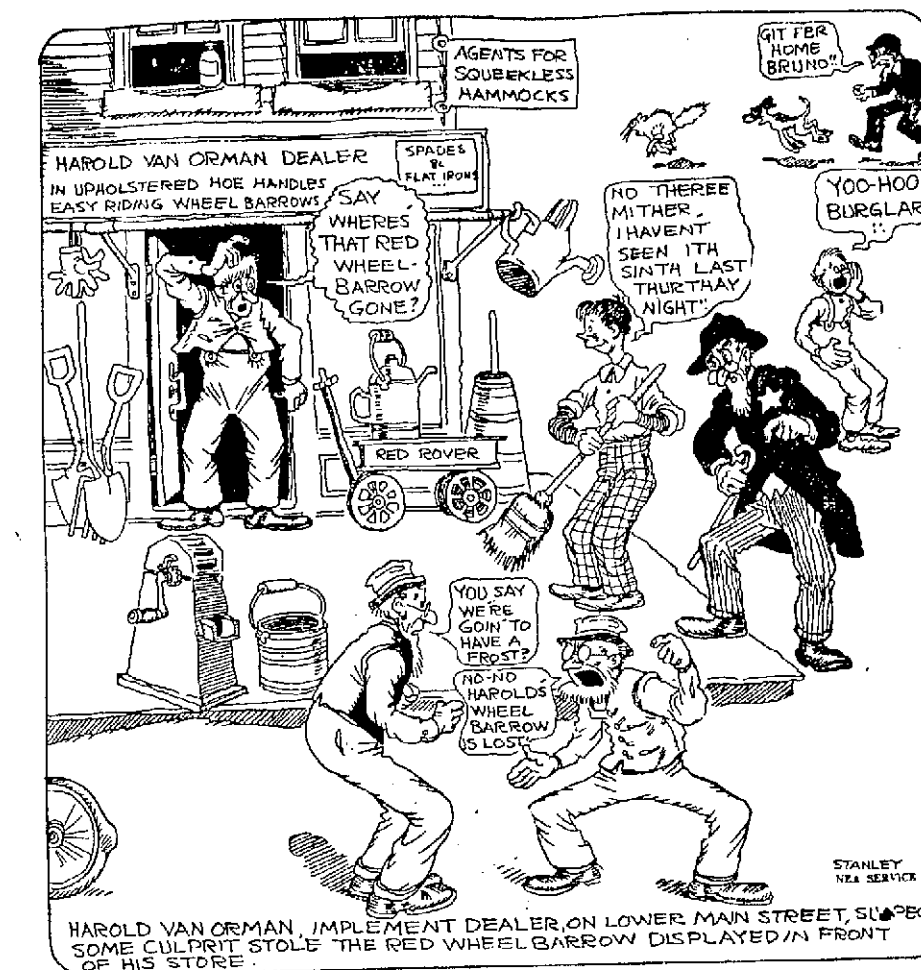
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HAROLD VAN ORMAN, IMPLEMENT DEALER, ON LOWER MAIN STREET, SUSPECTS SOME CULPRIT STOLE THE RED WHEEL BARROW DISPLAYED IN FRONT OF HIS STORE

## Mayor Donovan Will Welcome Disabled War Vets

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The meeting was called for the purpose of discussing the advisability of the Lowell chapter backing the drive now being made for the training of local swimmers to become life-savers under the direct supervision of a member of the Boston Red Cross, at the pool in the local Y.M.C.A.

Clarence B. Towne, physical instructor of the Y.M.C.A., and "Jack" Wallace, of the Boston life-saving service, appeared in favor of the proposition, and, as the course of study for life-savers includes both the rescuing of drowning and resuscitation, Mr. Wallace demonstrated the prone-pressure method on Mr. Towne. Mr. Wallace also gave an interesting talk on the work accomplished with the Boston police and fire departments in this work.

After considerable discussion on the merits of such a training here, Mayor Donovan stated that he believed it to be of great importance, and when a vote was called for on the question, all agreed that the Red Cross should give the move their official approval.

This work was first started by the Y.M.C.A. all over the country, but was turned over to the Red Cross as it was felt that they had a larger organization to carry on the work, and they are continuing the effort in an attempt to minimize the number of deaths by drowning each year.

There are two classes recruited, the junior, from the ages of 12 to 17, and the senior, from 17 upwards. The method is to get every local organization, school and industry to send delegates to the pool, in this case the "Y" swimming pool, where they will be taught the correct methods, and then, when this has been accomplished, to have these men and women in turn teach others.

## Gave Laroux Bad Beating

Continued  
street, the home of Laroux, about 10 o'clock on the night of May 5. According to Laroux's story, he was sitting on the doorsteps to his home when Sheridan approached him, and without uttering a word struck him several times, knocked him down and kicked him. So brutal was the alleged assault that the victim was removed to the Corporation hospital and spent two weeks recuperating.

Mrs. Chequette, a neighbor, and Oliver Rousseau, also a neighbor, testified to witnessing the incident and both corroborated Laroux's version of the affair.

Asked the reason for his animosity, Sheridan replied that he knew Laroux about a year and that was "eleven months too long." He said he was a "friend" to him, and had caused him undue trouble in the past few months. He did not kick him, he said, because "he isn't worth kicking."

On the finding of guilty, defendant was given until Saturday to pay the \$50 fine.

## ACCIDENT BOARD HEARING

A hearing before the industrial accident board will be held at city hall Monday, May 28, on the case of Valentine Bissell, of the Lawrence Mfg. Co., and on Monday, June 11, on the case of Anthony Harris, a watchman for the city, injured by an ex-service man while on duty as a watchman on bridge street.

## Merrimack Park OPENING

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# STRIKING MOLDERS ARE NATIONAL GUARD UNIT

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New Unit to Be Recruited  
Will Be Known as Co. C, 182nd Infantry

A new national guard unit to be known as Company C, 182nd Infantry, will be recruited in Lowell under the direction of Captain Donald R. MacIntyre, its commanding officer. Recruiting will get under way next Monday night when Captain MacIntyre will be at the armory to meet any young men interested. The office also will be open on Tuesday, Thursday and Friday nights of next week and it is expected that many ex-service men will welcome this opportunity to join

According to union officials, the roll call at the meeting of the strikers of the Face-Lowell and Kitchon foundries, which was held in Trades & Labor hall this morning, showed that all the skilled molders of both plants have joined the ranks of the strikers. The meeting was largely attended and in fact so large was the attendance that the assembly shifted to a larger hall. The strikers are very confident.

A feature of this morning's meeting was an address by John O'Neill of Cincinnati, vice president of the International Molders' union of North America. Mr. O'Neill urged the strikers to stick together and gave them instructions concerning the picketing, which was started yesterday, warning them to do nothing but peaceful picketing and to refrain from molesting anyone. Eugene L. Murphy, New England business agent for the union, also addressed the meeting.

At the close of the meeting it was stated that inasmuch as some of the employees of the Face-Lowell foundry start their day's work at 5 o'clock in the morning, pickets were on duty at that time this morning. There was no indication of strike breakers near the plant and it is felt that the company is endeavoring to have its work done by some of the laborers employed in the shop. The picket line at the Kitchon foundry did not report there until 7:30 o'clock, as work is not started there until 8 a. m.

Business Agent Murphy informed The Sun that both plants are now badly crippled as far as molders are concerned, and he said if the men keep up the battle and it is believed they will, the strike will be of short duration. He said a notable increase in the ranks of the strikers was noticed this morning and according to the roll call all the skilled molders of both shops are now out.

field, with her collie dog, to appear at the Casino this afternoon. This is the dog that saved little Miss Collette's life recently when she became entangled in a swamp and saved herself by holding fast to the dog's neck. The faithful animal continued to hold steady until help arrived and pulled the girl to solid ground.

The judges are L. J. O'Connor, Newburyport; William E. Cox, Salem; Dr. Harry J. Bassom, Providence, R. I.; William A. Hiltbrandt, Albany, N. Y.; Harry A. Johnson, Belmont; A. N. Kye, Natick; William E. Baker, Jr., New York City; Mrs. William Henry Perry, Westminster; Alex. Morrison, Wilmington; and Charles G. Hopton, New York City.

Bench Show Committee  
The bench show committee, representing the Lowell Kennel club, includes the following: Frederick G. Humphries, chairman; Smith J. Adams, H. Bailey, Fred Bassett, William Bell, George Camp, John Davis, Arthur E. Eaton, Timothy Flanagan, Joseph Foley, Mrs. L. E. Frost, Peter Hanley, Joseph Hughes, Paul Hutton, James Kirkpatrick, Mrs. James Kirkpatrick, Patrick Lynch, Patrick Lyons, Lawrence Marage, John McKenzie, Arthur Miner, Leon Mullin, Dr. Joseph N. Murphy, Richard Murphy, Henry Nixon, Mrs. Cleveland K. Nobles, Joseph Vinton, Henry Reaney, William H. Rigby, Miss Sophronia Robinson, Mrs. Robert E. Wesscott, Allen Williams and Fred Williams.

The superintendent and show secretary is Charles E. O'Connor of Lynn. Veterinarians on duty are Dr. W. S. Eaton, Dr. C. A. Hamblett, Dr. C. E. Munn and Dr. W. A. Sherman.

The officers of the Kennel club are: President, Frederick G. Humphries; first vice president, John McKenzie; second vice president, Frank K. Adams; third vice president, Smith J. Adams; secretary, Joseph J. Foley; treasurer, James Kirkpatrick; directors, Fred Williams, Isaac Wotton and Thomas H. Braden.

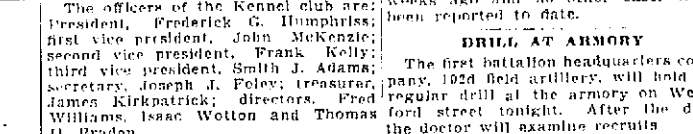
DRILL AT ARMORY  
The first battalion headquarters company, 102d field artillery, will hold its regular drill at the armory on Westford street tonight. After the drill the doctor will examine recruits

## POLICE CHIEF SAYS NO MAD DOG IN DRACUT

NASHUA, N. H., May 24.—Reports of a number of cases of rabies among dogs in Dracut, Mass., Hudson, N. H., and this city, have led the board of health here and the selectmen of Hudson to issue an order requiring that all dogs running loose be muzzled.

In commenting on the above item this morning, Chief Paul A. Cluff of the Dracut police stated that he knew of no cases of rabies in Dracut at the present time. Last March, he said, one case was reported and the town authorities immediately issued an order requiring all dogs in the town to be muzzled. This order was effective for 30 days, after which the quarantine was lifted. That was about six weeks ago and no other cases have been reported to date.

Largest and Smallest Dog at Show, Hervey Mason of Melrose showing Great Dane "Pep of Melrose," weight 152 pounds, and F. G. Humphries of Lowell, showing Pomeranian, "Princess Daisy," weight two pounds.



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**Dog Show Opens at Kasino**

Continued  
rules of the American Kennel club and judging will be carried on under a schedule of points adopted by the license committee in 1919.

Noted kennels represented  
While many of the dogs at the show are locally owned, scores of others are not and practically all of the well-known kennels and breeds in this section of the country are represented. Some of the more distant places represented are: Providence and East Greenwich, R. I. (Toboken, N. J., Thompson, Conn., New York City, Maryland, New Jersey, Boston, Springfield, Mass., Hudson, N. Y., Butler, Pa., Hailade, Florida, Ekins Park, Pa., Syosset, L. I., San Francisco, Cal., and Laconia, N. H.)

Although she had not arrived this morning the show committee expected Miss Pearl Collette of East Brook-





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Warner's Macaroni, pkg. .... 9c  
Underwood Deviled Ham, small size .... 2 for 35c

BASEMENT



## R. R. EXECUTIVES FROM N. E. PRESENT THEIR VIEWS ON CONSOLIDATION

**Appear Before Interstate Commerce Commission to Discuss Government Proposals to Merge All Roads in This Section Into One System—Hustis of B. & M. Opposes Government Plan—Urges New Arrangement Between B. & M. and C. P. R. or C. N. R.**

WASHINGTON, May 24.—Railroad executives in the New England region were before the Interstate Commerce commission to present their views upon government proposals to consolidate all railroads in that territory into a single system. President R. J. Pearson of the New York, New Haven & Hartford was first on the list of witnesses called, while representatives of the Boston & Maine, Maine Central, Bangor & Arundel, and other railroads involved also were on hand.

The New England consolidation, proposed as part of a general plan affecting the entire country, has been before the railroad chiefs concerned

for study during the last 18 months. Prof. W. Z. Ripley, the commission's expert in laying out the consolidations, proposed also an alternative, by which different roads in New England would be attached to various of the large eastern trunk lines, and the spokesmen for the companies were prepared to express preferences in the situation.

New England roads, Prof. Ripley's report declared, have had special difficulties in meeting expenses out of existing rates and for that reason the scheme was proposed of putting all

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### SUN BREVITIES

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Mrs. Hattie Gates of this city has leased the Hotel Danville at Salisbury beach, for the summer.

All Wanderer players are requested to report at the Chambers street playgrounds tomorrow evening at 6:30 o'clock.

Charles Leo Brennan, Henry Herman Wolf and Paul Henry Brunell, all of this city, graduated yesterday from the Massachusetts College of Pharmacy.

The graduation exercises of the Girls' Vocational school will be held in the High School Annex on June 26, at 10 a. m. Mrs. Gardner W. Pearson of the school committee will give the address.

The members of the public service board, Dennis J. Murphy, Fred Leary and George Bowers, and City Engineer Stephen Kearney, are attending the annual convention of the Massachusetts highway commission at Worcester today.

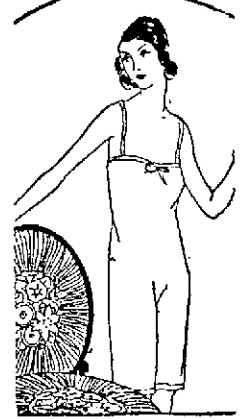
Miss Frances A. Scott, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Murray E. Scott of 602 Wilder street, was graduated last night from the Emerson College of Oratory, Boston, with a degree of B. L. L. Miss Scott is a graduate of the Washington grammar school and the Lowell high school, where she was a captain in the girls' battalion.

### CARD OF THANKS

The undersigned wishes to thank the friends and neighbors who were so kind and considerate during his wife's last illness and also to thank the relatives and friends who sent many beautiful floral offerings at the time of the funeral. To them he shall ever be grateful.

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## Officers Who Will Lead High School Field Day Events



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**MARGARET FLYNN**  
Second Major



**COL. GEORGE S. GARVEY**



**ELINOR MacBRYNE**  
Third Major



Photo by Cunningham.  
**JUANITA JOHNSTON**  
Fourth Major

Field day, in many respects the most important event on the annual calendar for high school students, will be held tomorrow afternoon on the South common, an admirably suited for it, more particularly at present, with additional seating accommodations available on the summer street slope.

No public school in the east, at least, and only a few in the entire country put on an exhibition of military and physical educational features to match

that which yearly is given in Lowell by the boys and girls of the high school. All the preliminary drilling and training throughout the school year is pointed to this one day and each succeeding exhibition seems to eclipse the previous one in extent and quality of accomplishment. It is colorful beyond compare and of course, with so many pupils participating, arouses great interest.

As has been the practice in other

years, the exhibition will be preceded by a parade of the boys' regiment, the girls' battalions and freshmen boys and girls, to start from the school at 12:30 o'clock and to pass in review before the members of the city government at city hall en route to the common. The parade will pass through Merrimack and Central streets and thousands will line the curbs to watch it.

The opening exercises at the com-

mon will include a salute to the colors, to be followed by company competitive military drill, dumb-bell and Indian club exhibitions, aesthetic dancing, pyramid building by freshmen boys, individual competitive military drill in the manual of arms, regimental parade and distribution of commissions and prizes. Judges will include Col. Charles A. Bartlett and Lieut. Joseph Trice of Boston and Capt. Harry Dunlap Brown of Billerica.

Majors of the 1923 girls' battalions

are Sara O'Brien, Margaret Flynn, Elinor MacBryne and Juanita Johnston and Col. George S. Garvey is commanding the boys' regiment. Major Colby S. Kittredge as military instructor has placed the regiment upon a high plane of efficiency and the annual may be said of the results attained by Donald H. MacIntyre, physical instructor in charge of freshmen activities, and Miss Myrtle Rooney, supervisors of physical education for the girls.

to Lowell Monday morning to hear the arguments in the petition for contempt filed yesterday afternoon in the case of Apostolos Johnson et al. vs. Constantine Vargapoulos et al.

### Case Was Not Prossed

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the assault. In Lowell, Mass., for the local authorities. Arraigned in the Eleventh district court he pleaded not guilty and May 4 was held in \$10,000 bail upon the recommendation of the police because of the serious condition of Mr. Choquette. Since that time Mr. Choquette's condition has improved so that the defendant was brought into court a week ago and his bail was reduced.

Solicitor Nolan informed the court this morning that after an investigation of the circumstances surrounding the assault he was convinced that there were no grounds for the original charge that was brought by the police. He added that it was rather a personal matter between Choquette and Lavallee. Mr. Choquette was then called to the stand and stated that it was his desire that the case be discontinued.

### MONTH'S MIND MASS

There will be a month's mind high mass of requiem Monday morning at 8:15 o'clock for the repose of the soul of Michael A. Quilty at St. Margaret's church.

### FUNERAL NOTICES

**GRADY**—Died, in this city, May 23, at St. John's hospital, John W. Grady. Funeral will take place Friday morning at 9 o'clock from the rooms of Charles H. Malloy's Sons, funeral mass at the Sacred Heart church, at 9 o'clock. Burial in St. Patrick's cemetery.

**MORTON**—Died, May 23, in this city, Miss Marion G. Morton. The funeral will take place Friday morning from the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George W. Morton, 83 Ottawa street, at 10 o'clock. There will be a solemn high mass of requiem at St. Michael's church at 10 o'clock. Burial in St. Patrick's cemetery in charge of Funeral Director James W. McKenna.

**Mayor to Ask Assessors to Act to Stop Rent Advances**  
Continued

action today is in line with a remedial method that has been suggested from many different sources as the only effective one.

**The Mayor's Letter**

The letter to the assessors and signed by Mayor Donovan follows: "In my opinion great care must be exercised this year in determining an equitable basis of property valuation and assessment thereon. There is a tendency within recent months to skyrocket purchase values in the sale of property, making the valuation as determined and assessed by the city almost ridiculous by comparison. Out-of-town speculators are evidently finding Lowell a profitable field for real estate manipulation. What are the reasons? Are we experiencing an unusual development of a permanent nature, or is it the attractiveness of low assessment of property valuation? Is it because our citizens, compelled to pay excessive rental increases, are driven in desperation to seek to purchase real estate in their own name, only to be met with astronomical sale values? One fact is quite evident that present assessed valuation is no longer a basis of sale value or of mortgage loans on property.

"If there is a sound basis for present real estate manipulation, well and good; but if excess values are being paid by purchasers of investment property, with the intent of making the investment profitable by heavy advancement of rentals on the houses and places of business of our citizens, I can see no good coming from such methods. There was a time when the tax rate was used as an argument to advance rents, but that argument is old fashioned now in comparison to the avarice of the up-to-date speculator in real estate. He does not care much about the tax rate, or even what he pays for property, so long as he may compel the tenant to take care of his investment by increased rentals. It is a rare incident in Lowell today when a real estate transaction is not immediate.

### FUNERALS

**ST. PIERRE**—The funeral of Mrs. Elsie M. St. Pierre took place from the funeral church, 256 Westford st., yesterday afternoon. The services were conducted by Rev. Henry K. Vye, pastor of the Calvary Baptist church. The floral offerings were numerous. Burial was in the family lot in the Eden cemetery. The funeral arrangements were in charge of Undertaker George W. Healey.

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No remedy can cure all ailments of the human body, but an immense number of people suffer from indigestion, pain and discomfort when their real trouble is lack of iron in the blood. It is the iron in your blood that enables you to get the nourishment out of your food. Without iron your food merely passes through you without doing you any good; you don't get the strength out of it. There is one universal remedy known to all that has helped thousands because it contains iron like the iron in fresh vegetables and like the iron in your blood.

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## KILLS GIRL AND HIMSELF

Man Shoots Sweetheart, Then  
Puts Arms Around Her  
Neck and Ends Own Life

WORCESTER, May 24.—Jealousy, according to the police, caused Antonio Protano, 24 years old, of Mohican road to kill his handsome sweetheart, Miss Margaret Sparver, 16 years old, of Mohican road last night and then take his own life.

Protano shot the girl through the head, firing four or five times before he killed her. He used a .25-calibre automatic. According to Lena Sparver, an 11-year-old sister of the girl, Protano had heard his sweetheart was keeping company with another young man. He told her so a few moments before the fatal shots were fired. The quarrel followed and then the murder and suicide.

The little girl who said she witnessed the quarrel and saw the first shot fired by Antonio became frightened and ran out of the kitchen where the shooting took place, down into the garden to notify her mother, Mrs. Joseph Sparver, who arrived at the side of her daughter soon after the shooting.

Judging from the position in which the two bodies were found on the kitchen floor, it is believed by the police that Protano, after shooting Margaret, walked into nearby bed room,

brought out a pillow and laid the head of the lifeless girl on it. He then placed one arm around the neck of his sweetheart and with the other hand fired two shots into his own forehead and another into his mouth.

When the bodies were found Antonio's arms were wrapped round Margaret's neck.

## INFLAMMATORY RHEUMATISM

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## COAL GOUGERS FINED

Adamian Brothers Taxed  
\$500 Each — Sentences  
Stayed to Allow Appeal

BOSTON, May 24.—Kirkor, Jacob H. and George Adamian, proprietors of the Adams Coal & Wood company, Somerville, who were found guilty by a jury early this month in the superior criminal court, East Cambridge, on 52 counts, alleging offenses which during the past winter came under the head of so-called "coal gouging," were each fined \$500 yesterday afternoon by Judge Franklin T. Hammond.

The case, however, is scheduled for the supreme court, and Judge Hammond, at the request of Attorney John H. Hurley, counsel for the defendants, granted a stay of sentence until exceptions taken during the trial may be heard and determined by the higher court.

The three brothers were tried on 56 indictments, containing 109 counts. Against each brother were three counts of conspiracy, 26 counts of adulterating coal, one count alleging failure to file a business certificate with the proper authorities, one alleging the selling of coal in unmarked bags, 26 alleging larceny, and 26 alleging fraudulent sale.

The jury found each of the men guilty on 25 counts alleging adulteration of coal and 26 counts alleging fraudulent sale of coal. They were not found guilty on the other counts. Yesterday afternoon Judge Hammond

set aside the verdicts on the fraudulent sale counts and also the verdict on one count of adulterating coal. He sentenced each defendant on 25 counts of adulterating coal, finding each of them at the rate of \$29 a count.

Before sentence was passed Attorney Hurley presented arguments for a new trial. District Attorney Arthur K. Reading in moving for sentence, stated the defendants and asked that they be sent to jail. Pointing out that the people were powerless to protect themselves, Mr. Reading declared these defendants the most flagrant offenders.

Judge Hammond stated that he agreed with the district attorney, that

measures must be taken to stop such practices. He stated, however, that under the statutes it would be impossible to impose jail sentences.

**LOYAL ORDER OF MOOSE**  
District Elmer G. Willey occupied the chair at last evening's regular meeting of Lowell lodge, 618, Loyal Order of Moose, which was held in Odd Fellows' building, Middlesex st. Thirty new members were initiated and several applications for membership were received. It was announced that the final class initiation under the open charter will be held on Wednesday evening, June 13. At the close of the business session a social hour was enjoyed, during which refreshments were served and entertainment numbers were given.

## Mrs. Saul Gained 36

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"Tanlac restored my health two years ago while we lived in Lancaster,

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THE BOLDEST, MOST SENSATIONAL  
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A Lot of New Coats

\$7.79 \$9.87 \$12.57  
\$12.57

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A Lot of New Suits

\$9.67 \$12.57  
\$16.87

Cape Bargains

and  
Wrap \$5.89

\$9.87 \$12.67  
\$14.78

Dress Bargains

\$4.97 \$7.97  
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\$2.87 \$3.97  
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Prunellas and Serges—All Sizes

DON'T FORGET! Be here early. You will find the choicest selections of the season's newest garments at prices that are really surprising to those who know the true value of merchandise such as we are offering to the women of Lowell and vicinity at this sale.

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## "BLUE TIGER" IN CHINA! NO, IT WASN'T BLIND!

By HARRY B. HUNT  
(N.E.A. Service Writer)  
WASHINGTON, May 23.—There are lots of things in China stranger than bandits, according to A. de C. Sowerby, biologist of the Smithsonian Institution, who recently conducted a scientific expedition into southeastern China.

For instance—a blue tiger!  
This unique animal is listed from the category of the imaginary, in which the "blue moon" still remains, by being given recognition in a formal report of the Smithsonian.

Writing from the interior of Fukien province, 200 miles from the coast up a tributary of the Min river, Sowerby says:  
"I met Caldwell, who saw the 'Blue Tiger,' and he tells me it was of such a color that he thought it was a Chinaman in his blue coat in the brush. But he had a good view of the animal to be perfectly certain of what it was. The only reason he did not shoot it was that it was just above two boys who were working in a field, and had he shot it it must have fallen on top of them. Indeed, it was actually stalking them when he saw it."

Although Smithsonian scientists apparently give credence to the existence of the "blue tiger," there are those who treat it more lightly.

For instance, when mention of it was made to Roy Haynes, prohibition commissioner, his first question was:  
"Was it blind?"

**Uncle Sam's Cash Balance**  
Working from identical sets of figures, the bureau of the budget and the department of treasury differ some \$85,000,000 as to Uncle Sam's probable cash balance at the end of the fiscal year, June 30.

The budget bureau announces that the budget "will balance with a surplus of at least \$60,000,000."

The treasury announces: "Best estimates indicate a surplus of over \$125,000,000."

Why this wide difference? Well, the budget bureau, charged with keeping down expenditures, seeks to be safely conservative.

The treasury department, with a refunding program still to be completed, wishes to make the best showing possible.

That both agree, however, that the end of the year will show a surplus will be cheering news to the tax payers. The payment discrepancy is undoubtedly explained by a statement that the budget bureau allowed for the payment of interest obligations before July 1, which the treasury expects will be deferred until after that date.

President Harding may get a new stunt on some of his subjects. If he takes time to visit the Indians of Alaska's northwest coast, according to Dr. T. T. Waterman of the bureau of American ethnology.

It is among these Indians that the national art, expressed through weirdly patterned totem poles, has reached its greatest perfection.

A tremendous mass of ideas and usages has grown up involving kinship, rules of marriage, property, religious ceremonies, and descent, all centered about these animal crests," said Waterman.

"To the Indian of this region, the most important thing in life is this animal crest or totem. All his ideas and ambitions center about this hereditary animal progenitor and protector, the likeness of which he carves on all his utensils, paints on his headdress, tattoos on his arms and chest, and on his face and curves on his memorial column.

"Curiously, to us, these people reckon kinship through the mother only. A man sets up a memorial column, not for his father, but for his mother's relatives particularly her brother. A son has, according to their ideas, no connection with his father. A boy or young man looks to his maternal uncle for counsel and guidance, to whom he owes veneration and respect and from whom only he inherits property."

### VIOLIN RECITAL BY

ROBERT McANESPIE

A very interesting recital was given last evening at the studio of Miss Angela O'Brien, by Mr. Robert E. McAnespie, violinist, assisted by Miss Margaret Driscoll, reader, and Miss Eileen McAnespie, pianist. Mr. McAnespie displayed an excellent technique and played with much feeling and expression. Miss O'Brien, from whom Mr. McAnespie received his musical training, was accompanied. The ushers were Edmund Brennan and James Fogarty. A large audience enjoyed the program, which was as follows:

Concerto No. 11, B. Minor . . . Accolay

Reading, Robert E. McAnespie

Reading, Mary Driscoll

Italian Cradle Song, Cipollone-Hartman

Alla Turca . . . . . Bohm

Berceuse, from "Jocelyn" . . . . . Godard-Gruenberg

Ruizwink . . . . . Wenzlawski

By the Brookside . . . . . Orth

On Pen d'Amour . . . . . Silesu

Harp That Once Through Tara's

Halls, Concert Transcription, Moore-Farmer

Reading, Robert McAnespie

Reading, Mary Driscoll

Londonderry Air . . . . . Tertis-Kreiser

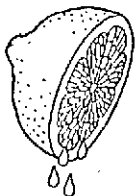
March from "Tannhauser" . . . . . Wagner

Robert McAnespie

Miss Angela O'Brien, accompanist.

## FRECKLES

Girls! Make Harmless Lemon Cream  
to bleach away Tan, Freckles



Mix the juice of two lemons with three ounces of Orchard White, which any drugist will supply for a few cents, shake well in a bottle, and you have a whole quarter-pint of the most wonderful freckle and tan cream and complexion beautifier.

Massage this sweetly fragrant lemon cream into the face, neck, arms and hands each day and see how freckles and blotches naturally bleach right out and how youthfully clear, soft and rosy-white the skin becomes.—Adv.

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## Cherry & Webb Co.

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Silk Petticoats—Fine Jersey and Taffetas, in the wanted colors—according to pleated flounces with inserts of fancy colors; formerly \$3.00 and \$3.50. Anniversary Sale . . . . . \$2.64

## BLOUSES

250 New Silk Overblouses—Styles that should sell for \$5.98 and \$6.50. Canton Crepes, Crepe de Chines, Trousaints and Caravans. Special . . . . . \$4.34

150 White Waists—\$1.98 and \$2.50 values, in French Voile, Batiste and Dimity, in V neck and Peter Pan styles. Special for the Anniversary Sale at . . . . . \$1.34

75 Hand Made French Voile Waists—In V neck, square neck and Peter Pan styles, values to \$7.50. Anniversary Sale Price . . . . . \$4.34

—Main Floor—

Heavy Jersey Silk Bloomers—Cut full and wide, double elastic knee cuffs, black, navy and suit shades. \$2.64

## HOSIERY

Full Fashioned Silk Hose—In light colors, also Pure Silk Selvage Seam Hose, in black, white and colors, cordovan, gold, champagne. Values to \$2.25. Anniversary Price . . . . . \$1.34

Fancy Weave Silk Sport Hose—Also plain silks, in white, black, grey, tan and cordovan. Values to \$1.50. Anniversary Price . . . . . \$1.00

Ribbed Lisle Hose—Extra fine quality, greys, buff, two-tone mixtures, orchid, open, also ribbed to toe in black and cordovan. Special Values in Anniversary Grouping at . . . . . 68c

Lisle and Cotton Hose—Plain split sole, dropstitch and clock, white, black, cordovan and gray; only 10 doz. 34c

—Main Floor—

12 Stone Marten Chokers—Way under price \$25 at . . . . . \$15

10 Fox Scarfs—Beauties. Only . . . . . \$15

### Basement Shop

New Coats \$10  
Silk Capes \$10

Dandy Sport Models—In all the new shades in polaires, shadow plaids, and Velours. Silk Capes, in plain and combinations of materials. VERY SPECIAL \$10

House Dresses—Of fine ginghams, in all the latest colors and patterns. Anniversary Sale special groupings at \$1.90 and \$2.90

New Jaquettes—In the Tans and gray colors that are so popular now. We were singularly fortunate in obtaining this shipment to sell at this \$8.00 price . . . . .

we have ever held in all our 34 years of business. In celebration of our 34th Anniversary we are offering a complete assemblage of the highest grade merchandise—AT PRICES THAT SURPASS ALL PREVIOUS SALE OCCASIONS—Women acquainted with our exclusive apparel and our reliability as fashion leaders will readily realize the importance of attending this great event—Merchandise of guaranteed quality—exquisite new Summer Creations, at prices that spell economy to the pocketbook and thrift to the shopper—

### All Departments Join in Store-wide Celebration

## Coats=Capes=Wraps

On Sale—In the Great Anniversary Celebration

Splendid group of Bolivias, Velours, Twill Coats and Sport Plaids, in Dressy, Sporty and Jaquette styles. Values to \$25.00. Sale price . . . . . \$18.34

Brytonias, Bolivias, Velours, Murellas and Silks in Wrappy and Straight line styles; also Capes and Jaquettes. Values to \$22.50. Anniversary sale . . . . . \$22.34

Featuring a fine group of Twill Coats and Bolivias in Wrap-around and Straight-line models. Many with All-over Embroideries and Braiding. Values to \$39.50. Anniversary price . . . . . \$27.34

Luxurious Ormondalea, better Bolivias, etc., in a splendid showing of latest styles. Coats and Capes that would sell for up to \$55.00. Now offered at . . . . . \$34.34

\$10 off

All the highest grade Coats and Suits now selling at reduced prices from \$50.00 up.

\$10 off

## Splendid Suits

Offered at Spectacular Savings for Our 34th Anniversary

Suits that should sell up to \$25.00—to give zest to our celebration they will be \$15.31. They are Tricotines, Polot Twills, in Box and House Coat styles; also sport models in Tweeds, Camels Hairs and Jerseys. Now . . . . . \$15.34

Suits that have been selling at \$32.00 and \$36.00—Long-line and Tailored models in a large assortment. At anniversary time we forget profits in the thrills of the bargain festival. Join us tomorrow and be sure to see the suits at . . . . . \$22.34

Better Suits, selling to \$45.00 in a generous assortment for Anniversary Selling. You'll be impressed with the savings when you see them. Now only . . . . . \$27.34

A splendid group of the luxurious suits that are usually found in the price range of \$55.00 to \$59.50. Because we bought them right we can create a sensation in offering them at . . . . . \$37.34

75 Upossum Chokers—Special values for Anniversary at . . . . . \$3.95

Platinum Thibet Scarfs—Lucky purchase Sale price . . . . . \$5

## Charming Frocks

In All Their Dainty Freshness—Join the Anniversary Celebration—

Sport Frocks of Roshanara Crepe, Flat Crepe, Catinans and Figured materials. Many with lace collar trimmings; others, and particularly the Sport models, trimmed with fancy buttons. Dresses that sell up to \$22.50 when purchased through the regular channels, are offered for Anniversary at . . . . . \$18.34

Another group of dresses sure to create a sensation at this 34th Anniversary Sale price. Frocks that should sell up to \$25, but not here at this time; the C & W. price is \$27.34, and between you and me, it's really very low. Come and see for yourself! . . . . . \$27.34

Dressy models of the better type, such as usually sell up to \$45.00. You find Crepe De-maine and Flat Crepe and all the richer materials, many beaded models included. Specials for the Anniversary Sale at . . . . . \$34.34

\$18.34

\$27.34

\$34.34

and we want the Kiddies too--

To Join the 34th Anniversary Celebration

Gingham Bloomer Dresses, dainty new patterns, well made. Specials for the Anniversary Sale, . . . . . \$1.94

Coats, Anniversary mark-down groups of dandy Spring models, sizes 8 to 14. Formerly sold to \$10.95. Now . . . . . \$7.34 and \$9.34

Gingham Dresses, sizes 8 to 17. Splendid values at this Anniversary Sale Price. New patterns, all well made, . . . . . \$2.94

Growing Girls' Skirts in all the new shades, Tweeds, Striped and Checked Velours. Special. . . . . \$3.34

### More than a sale— A Celebration!

And rightly so—after 34 years of wonderful success, the Cherry & Webb Co. decided—weeks ago—to celebrate its 34th anniversary with a Gala Celebration—Buyers were instructed: "Go out and do something—bigger than ever before. Make this celebration the most talked of event in all Middlesex County." Backed by the prestige and enormous buying power of the C & W. Syndicate, our buyers have accomplished just that. We ask every woman in Lowell and surrounding towns to share in the great savings and the celebration itself. We are mindful of the confidence shown us, and the uninterrupted and wonderful patronage bestowed on us—and we ask that you accept our dearest appreciation for having helped to give this store the tremendous success it enjoys.

### ONE-THIRD OFF

Three-Piece Suits—Those exclusive one-of-a-kind models of Silk or Cloth, selling to \$100.00 . . . . . ONE-THIRD OFF

## SKIRTS

A Splendid Lot of Wool Crepe and Prunella Stripe Skirts—Values to \$10.00. SPECIAL \$5.00  
Extra Sizes in All Wool Prunella Stripe Box Pleated Skirts—With stitched hips; \$12.50 values. A lucky purchase lets us offer them for Anniversary at . . . . . \$6.95

200 Wool Crepe and Baronet Satin Skirts—Worth \$13.50. Our Skirt Buyer sure made friends when he handed us these to sell at \$8.95

300 Wonderful Silk, Wool Crepe and Exclusive Sport Skirts—Selling to \$10.95, at \$10.45

Costume Slips—Fine English Satin or Lingette, shadow-proof, gathered hip, plain top, white, black, navy, grey and tan. Special . . . . . \$2.34

## Sweaters

Slip-Ons—In all the wanted new colors and styles. Regular \$2.00 Wool Worsteds. Anniversary Sale Price . . . . . \$1.34

Fancy and Plain Weave Slip-Ons—In round and V neck styles, some trimmed in contrasting colors, finished with worsted or leather belt; formerly \$3.50 and \$4.00. Special purchase, also clearance group from our own stock. Anniversary Sale Price . . . . . \$2.64

75 Clever New Sweaters—\$5.00 values. Sleeveless Coats, Jaquettes and Golf Sport Coats, also Fibre Silk Tunedos . . . . . \$3.64

Fancy Silk Kerchiefs—Two special groups—you'll want one for Summer Sport wear. These are special values at \$2.34 and \$2.84

—Main Floor—

27 Squirrel Chokers—Fine full furled pelts; three to a scarf. Special . . . . . \$6.95

### Basement Shop

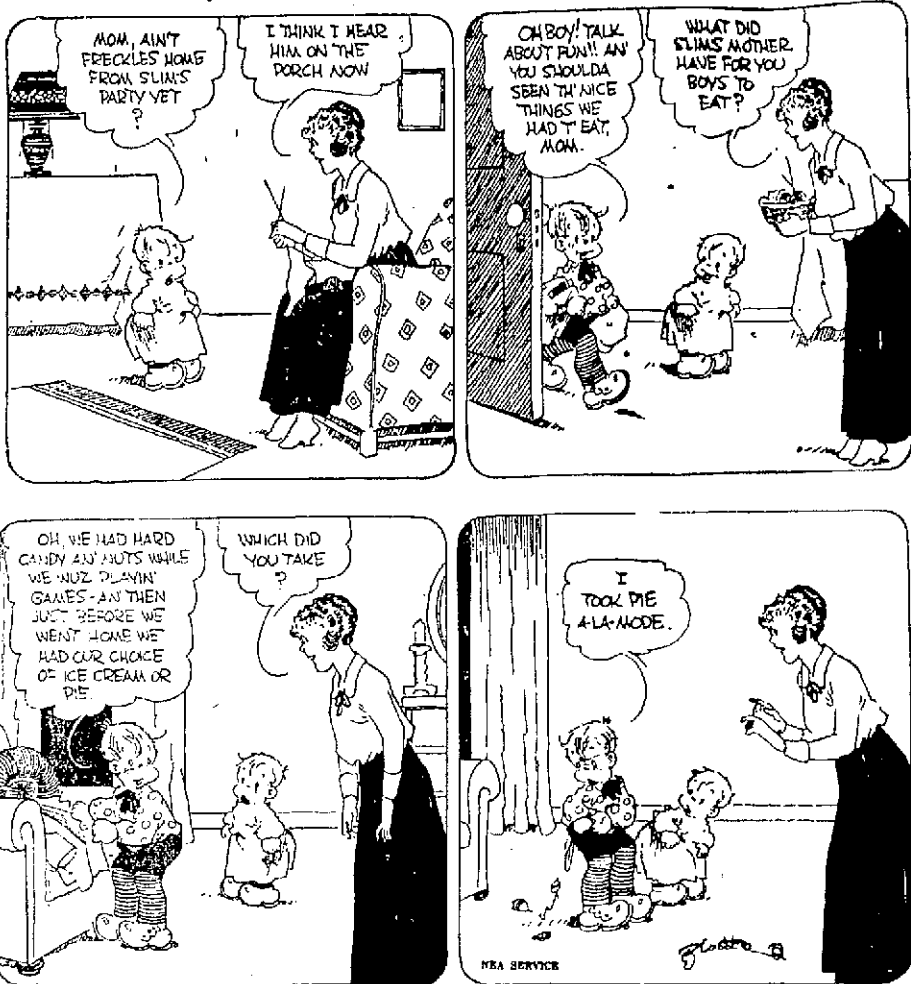
Dresses - - \$5

A Thriller—Special Purchase of Beautiful Frocks of Allume Crepe with Paisley tops in all colors, also Serges and Jerseys. See these wonder-ful values at . . . . . \$5.00

Skirts Dandy new pleated wool crepes and plenty of them, cut generously full, all the wanted shades, also wrap-around models in various sport fabrics. Anniversary Sale Specials \$4.34

Jersey Suits In all the wanted Sports shades, practical, serviceable and very attractive styles. Special purchase brings \$10.75 suits for Anniversary Sale at . . . . . \$8.50

## FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS

FAVORABLY IMPRESSED  
WITH LOWELL

Arthur A. Shurtleff, of Cambridge, noted city planner and zoning expert, was in Lowell yesterday afternoon as the guest of the city fathers for the purpose of making a preliminary survey of local conditions, particularly parks, street routings and proper location for expanding residential districts.

Accompanied by Mayor John J. Donovan, city engineer Stephen Kearney, city solicitor Patrick J. Reynolds, Sgt. of Parks John W. Keenan and Patrick O'Leary, Mr. Shurtleff, Benjamin S. Ponzner and Michael A. Lee of the city

planning board, Mr. Shurtleff was taken on an extensive tour of the city, visiting every section where residences prevail and downtown and restricted neighborhoods as well.

Mr. Shurtleff came to Lowell on his own suggestion and the survey he made was without cost to the city and the report he submits should be of unusual interest and value, and may lead to a formal and exhaustive survey at a later date.

On the whole Mr. Shurtleff was favorably impressed with the city as he saw it during his automobile tour yesterday, although his eye found things that are in need of development and change.

Quiet zoning ordinances are well needed in residential districts as well as more definite traffic, parking and street routing plans.

In the trip around the city the party first visited Centralville heights and then spent some time at the First st

oval discussing the great possibilities there for parkway development. The route led through West Centralville to the Navy Yard section of Draught and through Riverside street to the Textile school and along the river bank as far as the municipal bath house on the boulevard. The Highlands section was looked over carefully and here particularly where extensive building operations are in progress, Mr. Shurtleff saw need of strict zoning laws. The Cambridge expert saw much of beauty at the South common and declared it had possibilities unsurpassed in New England.

In order to give Mr. Shurtleff first hand knowledge of downtown traffic conditions during the late afternoon rush hours, the automobile party slowly worked its way through Merrimack, Central, Middlesex and Burton streets and the visitor admitted it was "bad."

## AMUSEMENT NOTES

**H. F. KIPPIN'S THEATRE**  
"Recuperation," the comedy knockout at B. F. Kippin's theatre this week, is just good enough to cause anybody to feel rather better after seeing it. Jack Norton & Co. give the pleasant little affair, which holds many snappy lines. Harry Johnson scores a hit this week almost on a par with the feature act. Johnson has the great gift of putting over an act faultlessly. He is a great favorite. There are other points about this show worth while, including Mabel Burke and Norma Lehighland in their song hits of the current year. Wally & Hawley are novel in all that they do and Kurt and Edith Kuehn are funny and musical, too. Others are Carr & Brey, dancers, and Michon Bros., equilibrista.

**LOWELL OPERA HOUSE**  
Just as she delighted thousands of theatregoers of this city years ago when she made her first appearance here, Nance O'Neil, America's greatest tragedienne, is delighting hundreds in her greatest starring success, "The Passion Flower," the great attraction at the Opera House this week. Audiences can be seen leaving the Opera House daily and if you were to ask anyone of them and inquire just how they liked Miss O'Neil the response would be more than enthusiastic. Supporting Miss O'Neil is Alfred Hickman, another well known Belasco star, and the Al Luttringer Players, including Miss Hanson, Victor Browne, Richard Morgan, Margaret Slavin, Helen Kinsel, Fred Harvey, Malcolm McLeod and J. Russell Webster and others.

This is Farewell week at the Opera House and seats for every performance are going fast. However, there are some very fine seats left for every performance and those who haven't as yet ordered seats should do so at once. Phone 261-262.

**THE STRAND**  
"Are You a Failure?" You might ask yourself this question and then go and see the picture of that name which is opening a three days' engagement at The Strand today. It's a satire on the advertisements that are always striking you in the eye accusing you of all kinds of terrible things, like eating with your feet on the table and the like. Written by the magazine favorite, Larry Evans, it moves from an amusing beginning to a screaming climax, with good laughs and speed enough for two ordinary pictures yet never losing the human touch that makes it so genuinely enjoyable.

"The Gentleman From America," with Ed (Jolly) Gibson in the lead, is the other picture choice. This is a story of two members of the A.E.F. who go on a farlough and run into all kinds of experiences and adventures. It has a series of humor-making situations that help make it one of the most amusing pictures of the season. The usual Weekly and other features help make the bill a most commendable one. See it all.

**RIALTO THEATRE**  
Today the last showing of the double feature program which opened at the Rialto theatre yesterday afternoon, Richard Barthelmess in "Sonny," is the leading production of the program, while William Duncan in "When Danger Smiles," makes an excellent second.

Very bad, and in need of immediate improvement."

Mr. Shurtleff was entertained at dinner at the York club and was sincerely thanked for his interest in the city and in appreciation of the time spent in making a preliminary survey.

NEW BRITISH  
CABINET MEETS

Lord Curzon Presents Latest  
Russian Note to Baldwin  
Ministry

Trade Relations to Continue  
—Disputed Questions Go  
to Conference

LONDON, May 24.—(By the Associated Press) At Prime Minister Baldwin's first cabinet meeting held at noon today Lord Curzon presented the latest note from Soviet Russia for consideration of the ministers. The relations between Great Britain and Russia received scant attention for the moment except, it was stated, for congratulatory extensions to the secretary of foreign affairs for at last having obtained a diplomatic communication from Moscow which did not contain recriminatory language.

There is still discussion as to whether the Soviet concessions meet all the British demands, but it is generally thought that the present trade relations with Russia will be continued and the disputed questions remaining settled at the conference table.

**Lord Robert Cecil Accepts**  
LONDON, May 24.—(By the Associated Press) Although Lord Robert Cecil's reported appointment as chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster, has not been named officially, the morning Post's announcement that he has accepted the office seems to be in accordance with the probabilities of the situation.

Some of the newspapers assert that the names of the new ministers will be announced today; others say they will be announced tomorrow.

There is also a snappy comedy.

**MERRIMACK SQUARE**  
The engagement of Harold Lloyd in "Safety Last" at the Merrimack Square theatre is fast drawing to a close. Only three days remain to see this big seven-reel bundle of laughs, giggles and roars. It's a scream from start to finish. Incidentally it furnishes the most blasé spectators with plenty of thrills. There's a big surrounding program with this attraction and there is no advance in prices. Don't miss the current show.

GREAT SEAT SALE  
FOR "LIGHTNIN"

A heavy demand is already indicated for the engagement of "Lightnin" at the Opera House for two nights beginning next Monday, May 28, the sale of seats for which will open at the box office tomorrow morning. "Lightnin" is a comedy by Winchell Smith and Frank Brown, and has broken all kinds of theatrical records since it was first produced at the Gaiety theatre, New York, five years ago. After continuing there in sensational popularity for three years, it played the theatre in Chicago for two years, and comes from seven sensational months at the Hollis Street theatre, Boston. "Lightnin" takes its title from the principal character, Lightning Bill Jones, an ardent admirer of John Barleycorn, and Baron Munchausen, yet as gentle and lovable an old chap as Tip Van Winkle. The scenes are laid near New York, in a hotel on the dividing line between California and Nevada. Percy Pollock will appear in the title role and will be supported by the same splendid cast that has been identified with "Lightnin" since the night of its metropolitan premier five years ago.

HUGGING GIRLS NOT  
A PAYING BUSINESS

Frank Finkel, aged about 35 years, was fined \$25 in the district court this morning for assault and battery "on certain women whose names are unknown." According to the testimony of the arresting officers, Alfred Conney and Francis Moore, Finkel was annoying young ladies on the Lakeview avenue show grounds last night by putting his arms around them and otherwise molesting them. He had been complained of the night previous, and was carefully watched by the officers last night. Finkel said he had not been on the show grounds until last night, and admitted that he is married and has one daughter.

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Especially If the Blood Is Thin  
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FUNDAMENTALISTS ARE  
JUBILANT OVER VICTORY

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., May 24.—Action of the general assembly of the Presbyterian church of the United States of America in adopting the resolution of the Dr. Harry Emerson Fosdick case, sponsored by the fundamentalists and rejecting the recommendations supported by the liberalist element, was hailed today as the greatest victory of the convention by the former group.

The fundamentalists opposed to the liberal interpretation of the Bible as expounded by Dr. Fosdick, succeeded in forcing the adoption of a minority report of the committee on bills and resolutions, which directs the New York Presbytery to require the preaching in the First Presbyterian church of New York city to conform to the Presbyterian doctrine.

William Jennings Bryan, who with two Philadelphia ministers, the Rev. Gordon A. McLennan and the Rev. Clarence K. MacArthur, led the fight against the majority report, was highly elated at the result.

The assembly is scheduled to come to a close today, but due to the mass of unfinished business doubt is expressed as to whether adjournment can be taken.

**GERMAN INVENTOR DEAD**  
NEW YORK, May 24.—Dr. Hans Goldschmidt, German chemist and inventor of the Therman process of welding iron and steel, died in Baden-Baden, Germany, on Sunday, according to a cable received today.

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"ARE YOU A FAILURE?"  
A TOM FORMAN PRODUCTION  
MADGE BELLARY-LLOYD HUGHES  
TOM SANTIHI & OTHERS.  
ED'HOOT' GIBSON  
"A GENTLEMAN FROM AMERICA"

**OPIMUM COMMISSION MEETS**  
GENEVA, May 24.—(By the Associated Press) The fifth session of the opium commission opened today at League of Nations headquarters here with nine countries represented. Including the United States, whose delegates are Representative Stephen V. Porter of Pennsylvania, J. H. Brent and Dr. Rupert Rugg, with Edwin L. Neville, of the state department as expert. Germany, one of the largest exporters of cocaine, is represented, but Switzerland has no delegate present, she having declined to ratify the opium convention of 1912.

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"Challenge of  
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## RECEPTION TO REV. AND MRS. JOHN T. ULLOM

Rev. John T. Ullom, recently elected pastor of the Matthews Memorial Primitive Methodist church, and Mrs. Ullom, were tendered a reception last evening in the vestry of the church on Gorham street. Thomas Gardner, moderator of the church, was chairman of arrangements.

Rev. and Mrs. Ullom received their friends from 7 to 8 o'clock. They were assisted by Mrs. N. W. Matthews, Rev. Elijah Humphries and Miss Hazel Ullom. Short remarks were made by visiting clergymen. Prayer was offered by John Pooler and singing by the congregation preceded the speaking. Vice President Sam Asquith of the Eastern conference, Thomas Nollie, Richard Campbell and Rev. Arthur Hilley, delegates of the church to the conference, gave reports on progress made.

Rev. Richard Peters, pastor of the Highland Congregational church, who was closely associated with the late Rev. Nathaniel W. Matthews, called upon the members of the church to



REV. JOHN T. ULLOM

support their new pastor. Rev. Mr. Ullom, the final speaker of the evening, thanked the members of his congregation for their splendid reception and asked their help and co-operation in conducting the affairs of the Matthews Memorial P. M. church. Rev. Arthur Hilley pronounced benediction.

Charles Pierce and Miss Irene Potter contributed songs during the evening. Miss Irene Matthews played with readings. Music was furnished by the church orchestra. Mrs. J. Norris headed the large group of women who had charge of preparing and serving refreshments. The ushers for the reception were: John Brown, Walter Matthews, Arthur Chapman, Lester Prescott, Freeman Page, Frank Killenby, Owen Taylor, Carl Johnson, Roy Deane, Herbert Potter, James Broadbent, Frank Goss, Charles Wells, James Brown, Ralph Dukeshire, Harold Blakely, Joseph Higginbotham, Norman Murray and Hector Brown.

**BIRTHDAY PARTY**

A very pretty party was given at the home of Mrs. C. A. Laurie, 183 Westford street, Tuesday evening. The party was given in honor of her daughter, Miss Gertrude E. Laurie, on her 21st birthday. She was the recipient of a number of very pretty and costly gifts. The house was prettily decorated with pink and white. During the evening games and dancing were enjoyed, also some very fine vocal and piano selections and readings. After refreshments were served the rest of the evening was spent in dancing. When the party broke up at 11 o'clock, all joined in good wishes for Miss Laurie and agreed they had spent a most enjoyable evening.

**DANCE IN NO. BILLERICA**

Tonight at the Thomas "Tahot" hall, in North Billerica, there will be a dance that will equal anything in the entertainment line ever conducted in this section. The sponsors for this party are a group of young women of the town who conduct these affairs under the name of the Rah Rah Girls. As a special attraction Broderick's orchestra will give a group of dancing numbers used in all of the leading cabarets in the country.

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## NURSES GRADUATE AT LOWELL GENERAL

The annual graduation of the Lowell General hospital took place at 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon. Six student nurses who had completed their training course successfully were presented their diplomas and pins before a large audience of relatives and friends, as well as trustees of the hospital. The graduates were Edith Eugenie Haines, Beatrice Constance Audet, Ethel Pearson, Alice Peterson Young, Blanche Hiale and Eva Fernand Monette.

Hon. John Jacob Rogers was the principal speaker and his subject was "Nursing From the National Viewpoint." Dr. Howard W. Jewett, president of the physicians' staff of the hospital, also gave an interesting talk, and the final speaker of the afternoon was Dr. G. Forrest Martin.

The American Ladies' orchestra and the hospital nurses' glee club furnished a pleasing entertainment program during the exercises.

Larkin T. Trull, vice president of the trustees, presented the diplomas in the absence of Arthur G. Pollard, president, who was prevented by illness from being present. Miss Christine McLeod, superintendent of the hospital, presented the nurses' pins to each of the graduates.

A buffet supper, reception and dance was held at St. Anne's parish house commencing at 5 o'clock. The trustees and their wives assisted the graduates in receiving.

Only natives may own land in Java, foreigners being permitted to lease it for periods up to 75 years, on condition half the area is available free for growing rice for the natives.

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## TYPOGRAPHICAL UNION ELECTS OFFICERS

At a meeting yesterday of the Lowell Typographical union, Fred A. Spaul, secretary-treasurer of the organization for the past 17 years, was elected president for the ensuing year. He was unopposed for election.

The new president has been a tireless worker for the union for a great many years and his election to the



FRED A. SPAUL

presidency is but worthy recognition for services rendered in the past. He has been a familiar figure at New England and International conventions of the Typographical union and his wide experience in things of that nature will prove beneficial in guiding the destinies of the local branch during his regime.

Other officers and delegates chosen at yesterday's meeting are as follows: Vice-president, Joseph M. Reilly; secretary-treasurer, Michael L. Labelle; recording secretary, Fred Brown; executive committee: J. Frank Burke, J. Joseph Duggan, Thomas J. Durkin and Nathaniel W. Matthews; Allied Printing Trades Council: J. Frank Burke, Thomas J. Durkin and Michael L. Labelle; auditing committee: John Griffith, Cleveland K. Nobles, Joseph M. Reilly; delegate to I.T.U. convention, J. Frank Burke; alternate, Fred Brown; delegate to N.E.T.U. convention, Joseph M. Reilly (news), Michael L. Labelle (book and job); alternates, Orrell C. Gaudette (news), Charles E. Sheldon (book and job).

It is announced that the International convention will be held at Atlanta, Georgia, while Pittsfield, Mass., will be the scene of the New England gathering.

## SUMMARY OF EARLY MORNING A. P. NEWS

Presbyterian fundamentalists at Indianapolis, led by William J. Bryan, force through the general assembly resolution regarding Dr. Henry Emerson Fosdick of New York city to conform to the Presbyterian doctrine in his preaching.

Dr. A. Lawrence Lowell, president of Harvard, declared in Washington address that he believes President Harding went too far in recent declaration that he was absolutely opposed to entering the League of Nations.

General Assembly of Southern Presbyterians meeting at Montreat, N. C., gives women right of representation on its executive committee.

Louisville Courier-Journal says unending flow of whiskey is moved from Louisville to Chicago in 24 powerful automobiles, manned by expert drivers and gunmen guards.

Message from Jacob Gould Schurman, United States minister to China, says that morale of prisoners held by Chinese bandits is becoming lower.

New York delegation to Northern Baptist convention at Atlantic City passes resolution urging Gov. Smith to veto repeal of the Mulford-Gage act.

J. P. Morgan, in announcing plans for leading syndicate to float in United States \$25,000,000 of \$100,000,000 Austrian loan, says bond will help improve business conditions of the world.

Death in New York city of David Hillhouse Buell, once president of Georgetown university and former member of the Jesuit order.

Producer and 13 persons in the cast of the New York play "God of Vengeance" are found guilty of presenting an indecent show.

London observers regard Krasin note to Great Britain as making important concessions by Russia.

Prime Minister Baldwin faces difficult task in selection of new chancellor of the exchequer after the declaration of post by Sir Robert Horne.

Five killed and at least sixty wounded in latest estimate of casualties in

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clash between striking Ruhr miners and the Dortmund police.

Mussolini's friends think he played master stroke in expelling Capt. Padovani from the Neapolitan Fascist. Home advices say.

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## Outlaws Whipping of Convicts in Florida

TALLAHASSEE, Fla., May 21.—Governor Hardee yesterday signed a bill outlawing the whipping of convicts in this state. Instructions were immediately issued to convict wardens and guards.

## Rum-Runner Ships Disappear

NORFOLK, Va., May 24.—The steam yacht Istar of the rum fleet disappeared yesterday from her position off the Virginia Capes after the government tug Mascoutia, with guns mounted for any emergency, had moved within hailing distance. The steamer Cartonia, listed by government agents as a rum runner, also has disappeared.

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Self Striped—With Collar to Match...

**\$7.50 JERSEY SILK SHIRTS—** \$4.95  
Plain White or Colors—Made Right...

**35c Genuine Boston Garters.... 16c**

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**\$1.50 Finest Nainsook UNION SUITS.... 95c**

**\$2.00 Otis Fine Lisle UNION SUITS.... \$1.35**

**\$1.50 Fine Balbriggan UNION SUITS.... 95c**

**\$1.00 Fine Nainsook UNION SUITS.... 69c**

**\$1.50 Men's Porous Weave UNION SUITS.... 95c**

**85c Men's BALBRIGGAN UNDERWEAR.... 59c**

**\$1.50 Fine BALBRIGGAN UNION SUITS.... 89c**

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## This Laxative Works Fine on Old People

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Use Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin yourself the next time you suffer from constipation, biliousness, headache, sleeplessness, indigestion, piles or night cramps. Many thousands of elderly people use nothing else, and it costs them less than a cent a dose. Druggists have sold it successfully for 30 years, and it is the most widely bought family laxative in the world.

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The family laxative

## FORMER LOWELL MAN VISITING OLD HOME

John H. O'Neill, of New Orleans, Louisiana, a former resident of Lowell and son of Mr. and Mrs. Jeremiah O'Neill, of 176 Walker street, this city, is spending a short vacation at the home of his parents. Mr. O'Neill is a graduate of the Massachusetts Institute of Technology. After graduating from this latter institution he accepted a position with the sanitary department of the state of Louisiana and later became sanitary engineer for the state. He served during the war as a captain in the Engineer Corps, and at the close of the war returned to his duties as sanitary engineer for Louisiana.

### GONE TO CALIFORNIA

Mrs. Elizabeth Hobbs and daughter, Miss Gertrude Hobbs, of Appleton st., left Lowell yesterday for California, where they plan to reside indefinitely. They will first go to Pasadena and undoubtedly will take up residence there. Miss Hobbs was with Nelson & Co. for several years, but more recently was in charge of the candy department in James J. Gallagher's new store in Merrimack street.

## Judge Enright to Make Lawyers Toe the Mark

of violating the motor vehicle law by failing to give his name and address after his machine had knocked down a little girl in Adams street. The girl was uninjured and according to the testimony at a previous hearing, she ran away before her name could be learned. Because he failed to give his name and address following the accident, however, he was fined \$20, the minimum amount for such an offense. Mike Sikut, charged with maliciously destroying property, had his case placed on file, restitution in the sum of \$16 having been made for damages to door caused by defendant.

Joseph Jesus paid a fine of \$10 for unlawfully using registered milk bottles. Chester McPhail pleaded not guilty to illegal sale and was continued until May 26. An illegal keeping charge against John Kukilez was continued until May 31.

On a plea of not guilty to drunkenness, Michael Murray was continued until tomorrow morning, bonds being fixed at \$200.

A non support charge against Fathering Wittels will be heard in two weeks, while James Louprakis, charged with peddling without a license, was continued until Monday next.

## REPUBLICAN WOMEN MEET TOMORROW

Morning and afternoon sessions will be held at the district conference of republican women in Middlesex hall tomorrow. The idea of serving luncheon at noon has been abandoned and instead there will be a two-hour intermission between 12 and 2 o'clock. At the afternoon session Miss John Jacob Rogers will speak on "Achievements of the Present Administration," and it is expected the attendance will be large. Women prominent in party affairs in the state will be speakers during the day.

## CHURCH BALL TEAMS IN BATTLE ARRAY

The First Congregational church nine were defeated by the Calvary Baptist church team at the Aiken street grounds last evening. In a five inning game by the score of 10 to 2. The winners drove six tallies across the rubber in the opening frame. Alexander featured for the losers in the field, Myhr in left and Kenyon's double play unassisted were the deciding points for the winners. Batteries: Kenyon and C. Flynn for Calvary; Lamson, Carpenter and Shattuck for Congregational.

Rainbow-hued walking-sticks and vividly colored spats are the latest masculine "fashions" in Paris.

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## Present Their Views On Consolidation

Continued

WASHINGTON, May 24.—A suggestion that an arrangement be made between the Boston & Maine railroad and either the Canadian Pacific Railway or the Canadian National Railways, was placed before the Interstate Commerce commission here today at the hearing on consolidation of the New England railroads by President James H. Hustis of the Boston & Maine.

"The Boston & Maine has a substantial interchange with the Canadian Pacific direct and with the Grand Trunk (now the Canadian National Railways) through the Central Vermont," President Hustis said. "New England traffic is regarded as attractive by both of these lines, and a high quality of service is maintained through these northern gateways, which has probably been quite as effective in maintaining the popularity of these routes as have the western differential rates."

"The suggestion has been made that one or the other of these lines might take over the Boston & Maine. It is doubtful whether the commission has power under the statute to recommend consolidation of American roads with the two large Canadian systems. Moreover, important political considerations would be involved in such an arrangement. But there is nothing to prevent some arrangement short of actual consolidation satisfactory to these interests and ours, and I trust that the findings of the commission in this case will not foreclose us from entering into such an arrangement. In any event and in any plan which may be adopted the importance of these routes not only to New England but to the Boston & Maine, of course, be recognized."

Not Seeking Alliances  
Asserting that if the Boston & Maine were left free to conduct its own negotiations, he had no doubt that arrangements satisfactory to its owners and the public could be made, President Hustis said that the railroad is not seeking alliances with other railroads unless it is wanted.

"After all, what the country wants and what New England wants is good transportation," he said. "What the railroads want or what the Boston & Maine wants is to have their full value recognized in any trade that may be made in the future."

"For the commission to decree that this or that particular plan must be rigorously adhered to in those instances where there would otherwise be bargaining possibilities as between several interests might result in serious loss to the owners of the properties affected and indirectly to the territory served."

B. & M. Important Unit  
President Hustis pointed out that the Boston & Maine is an important and necessary transportation unit with a financial structure entitling it to earn a return that should restore its credit, enable it to develop its property and return a satisfactory transportation service. "The commission is aware of the financial results since the return of the roads at the end of federal control," he added.

"The Boston & Maine system comprises over 2500 miles of railroad in northern New England and a considerable portion of the territory which it serves is exclusively dependent upon it for railroad transportation. The northern half of Massachusetts is served almost exclusively by the Boston & Maine, the state of New Hampshire almost entirely so, as are also important sections of Vermont and Maine."

Carried Billion Passengers in Year  
"In the year 1920, it carried over 3,000,000,000 tons or freight one mile, over one billion passengers one mile. Its freight traffic measured in ton miles more than doubled in the 20 years between 1901 and 1920 and the passengers carried one mile increased 50 per cent in spite of the increase of the automobile."

"Figures in millions or billions of traffic units do not carry any special significance except to students of transportation. Few realize that the Boston & Maine not only handles more tons than the Union Pacific, Santa Fe, Erie or Frisco Railroads, but that it has a higher freight traffic density per mile of line than the Burlington, Santa Fe, Northwestern, Great Northern, Rock Island, Missouri Pacific, Northern Pacific, Frisco and Southern. In number of passengers handled and in passenger traffic density the Boston & Maine leads all the roads above mentioned."

Declaring that while New England has not grown as fast as some parts of the country, it has by no means gone backward, President Hustis cited statistics to show the increase of capital invested in New England industry and of population. Of the textile situation, he said:

N. E.'s Industrial Preeminence  
"We hear much about the textile industries leaving New England and it is true that the growth of these industries outside of New England and particularly in the south, has been rapid. Nevertheless, in 1920 New England cotton mills had over 17,000,000 spindles, or 47.6 per cent, of the spindles operated in the United States. It is a matter of common knowledge that the available labor in the south has been largely absorbed, and with the industrial problems now arising in the south and the development of the water power of northern New England and the adjoining portions of Canada, it is not unreasonable to expect that New England's industrial preeminence will continue in the textiles as well as in the many other fields of manufacture."

Of the proposed "All-New England" consolidation plan, President Hustis said that in his judgment the arguments in favor of the plan, particularly as it may be expected to solve the financial difficulties now so indicative of the proposed consolidation of the

New England roads with a trunk line result in a long haul under one management. At the present time the only system answering that description is the New York Central. "The Boston & Maine would be of real value to any trunk system," he said. "It is not a property to be scrapped or to be taken over as a bankrupt concern at the expense of its owners, who are entitled to a fair return on their investments and should obtain it if the act is interpreted as I believe it will."

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Also DRECO is sold in Nashua by Nashua Pharmacy Co., 175 Main st.—Adv.

## CONSTIPATION OFTEN POISONS THE SYSTEM

NATURE HAS PROVIDED RELIEF

For every violation of her Laws Nature exacts a penalty; but she also has wisely provided relief, especially for the ailments of the human system. Since constipation is the most common of ailments, Nature endowed certain herbs, seeds, barks and leaves with laxative properties. Early settlers, dependent entirely upon Nature, used the extracts from these plants to relieve and correct constipated conditions.

Over seventy years ago, an old-fashioned Maine country doctor who didn't believe in harsh cathartics originated a prescription known as Dr. True's Elixir, the True Family Laxative, which since has given relief to many thousands of constipation sufferers.

The herbs used in its preparation are imported and of strictly pure quality; it helps to correct the cause and relieves its attendant evils; it purges the bowels as it cleanses.

Here is one of the thousands of cases where Dr. True's Elixir has helped. "As you have been a devoted to me, that in a friend in need is a friend indeed," I will write and tell you about the value of your medicine—Dr. True's

Elizur, believe me, it helped me. I eat everything that comes along; no more diet. I even tried raw onions for a test. It is that not just after a few years of only milk and eggs!"—Mrs. J. E. (Nashua, N. H.)

To have a suitable laxative, one which she knows will prove effective, be easy to take and guaranteed pure, Mrs. Peter Volpe of North Charleston, S. C., sent up North. She says: "I have great faith in Dr. True's Elixir, the True Family Laxative and Worm Expeller, and have been using it for over ten years. I send for it to my old home at Oxford, Me."

A well known New Yorker writes: "While visiting in historic old Plymouth (Mass.), my family became acquainted with your Dr. True's Elixir, the True Family Laxative and Worm Expeller. It does all you claim for it in aiding digestion and relieving indigestion and constipation. Please ship me six large size bottles, for a. Ther is in need of it."—Wm. I. Ralph.

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## PRETTY EXHIBITION OF FANCY DANCING

The pupils of the dancing classes of Miss Doris E. Conley, numbering more than 55, gave a beautiful exhibition of fancy dancing in Liberty hall last night at their annual reception.

The members of the classes were in the main children hardly in their teens and they amply demonstrated their ability as fancy dancers, and June McCabe, Rona Brown and Norma Conley, all under four years of age, went through a rather intricate number without faltering in the slightest. Miss Conley appeared but once during the entertainment and that as a dancer in a toe ballet. Bluetite. She was assisted by eight of her pupils, all toe dancers.

At the conclusion of the exhibition program, the matrons were escorted to a specially arranged corner, and the grand march took place. Follow-

## Says There Is No Better Remedy For Kidney Trouble

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Cincinnati, O., July 25, 1920.—After having been relieved of kidney troubles for several years standing by Dr. Carey's Marshmallow Prescription No. 777, an exceedingly grateful and loud in its praise—have recommended it to several fellow workers who were also benefited beyond their belief by its use. It is my candid opinion that there is no better remedy than Dr. Carey's Marshmallow.

August 2nd I received your letter asking permission to reproduce my letter to you (as above). If it will in any way help people to realize the true merits of Dr. Carey's Marshmallow Prescription you are at liberty to do so. I know that it cured me. I suffered great pain for several years and am certainly grateful and feel confident that if people who have kidney trouble will use it long enough to give it a fair test there will be more grateful ones added to the list. John E. Douglas, 143 W. Court st., Cincinnati, Ohio.

**IMPORTANT**—Marshmallow Prescription No. 777 is Dr. Daniel G. Carey's own formula. It is not a patent medicine and was originally sold through drug stores in accordance with his practice. You can always get this effective prescription at Fred Howard's, 197 Central street, and reliable pharmacies the country over.—Adv.

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## HELD ANNUAL BANQUET AND DANCING PARTY

The annual banquet and dancing party of the Children of Mary sodality of the Sacred Heart parish, was held in the school hall last Tuesday night in the form of an enjoyable May party. The various tables in the hall were attractively decorated with lilies and cut flowers and novel favors were distributed to each individual who attended.

The evening's program opened with the singing of a hymn to the Blessed Virgin and prayer by the pastor, Rev. John P. Flynn, O.M.I. After the banquet the following entertaining program was successfully carried out: Miss Grace Burke, solo; Miss Marion McFadden, piano; Miss Helen Lannon, violin; vocal solos: Misses Veronica Dwyer, Sadie Kenney, May E. Burke, Lucy Sharkey, Rev. William F. Mahan, O.M.I., and Rev. James McCarlin, O.M.I., who are conducting the men's mission in the Sacred Heart church this week.

The following officers of the sodality

comprised the committee in charge: President Anna Mullin, Vice President Lucy Sharkey, Secretary Mary E. Burke, Treasurer Margaret Connolly.

The program follows:  
Tennis Dance.  
Marion Barrett, Dorothy Earle, Helen Murphy, Esther Marshall, Lillian O'Brien.  
Sea Shells.  
June McCabe.

Creckers.  
Soloist, Rosa McArdia.  
Katherine Healey, Edna Lally, Kathleen Brooks, Veronica Conlon, Alice Fitzpatrick.

The Teddybear and the Frog.  
Francis Clark and Russell Scarlett.  
Scotch Specialty.  
Beatrice Letendre, Neva Conlon, Marion Ward.

Hickville rubes.  
Norma Conley and Rona Brown.  
Bellevue dance.  
Lawrence Judge.

Grecian dance.  
Anna Barrett, Marion Peppard, Isabel Regan, Agatha Juerst, Dorothy Sheeley, Doris Clark.  
Step dance.  
Katherine Healey.

Dance of the seasons.  
Herald—Beatrice Letendre.  
Spring—Georgia Mello.  
Autumn—Gladys Cannon.  
Winter—Kathleen Brooks.  
Waltz clog.  
Dorothy Sheeley.

Flower girl.  
Marion McMahon.  
Sally.  
Agatha Juerst.

The Flirtation.  
Peggy Regan, John Clark.  
A Bluebird.  
Rose Smith.

Irish jig.  
Beatrice Letendre.  
Southern Roses.  
Doris Clark.

Vintage Dance.  
Margaret Murphy.  
Spanish Fan Dance.  
Isabel Regan.

Dancing Doll.  
Rona Brown.  
Isabella.  
Marion Peppard.

Powder Puff.  
Norma Conley.  
Papillon.  
Doris McCormack.

Specialty.  
Dorothy Sheeley.  
Red Lantern.  
Beatrice Letendre.

The Magic Dancer.  
Agatha Juerst.  
Antonia's Dance.  
Evelyn Scarlett.

Russian Dance.  
Macy Danahue.  
The Polka and the Flapper.  
Anna and Marion Barrett.

La Buleria.  
Margaret Mooney.  
Wooden Shoes.  
Gertrude Constance.

Military Dance.  
Rory Anderson.  
Ye Olde Song and Dance.  
Edna and Harold Lally.

Hungarian Rhapsody.  
Margaret MacKinnon.  
Rhyme, too ballet.  
Soloist, Miss Doris T. Conley, Rona Brown, Norman Conley, Peggy Regan, Beatrice Letendre, Dorothy Sheeley, Doris Clark, Agatha Juerst, Doris McCormack.

Technical exercises and arm movements.  
Class.  
Grand March.  
Led by Miss Norma Conley and Master Lawrence Judge.

**BRITISH GREAT WAR VETERANS**  
The Lowell Command of the British Great War Veterans of America, Inc., will march with the American Legion Sunday afternoon, to the Memorial services, being held under the auspices of the G. A. R. and the Spanish War Veterans, according to Secretary Ralph F. Smith. The command will form outside of the Memorial Auditorium at 2:30.

**LOWELL TRUTH CENTRE**  
A large audience gathered in the quarters of the Lowell Truth Centre, of the Fairbank building last night to listen to a talk on "The Life and Teachings of Jesus Christ" by George Weygand of the "Home of Truth" in Boston. The speaker has been conducting lectures at the weekly sessions of the Truth Centre for the past three weeks.

Of London school children, about eight per cent, are always absent through illness.

## DISCUSS SITE FOR A. O. H. CLUBHOUSE

A special meeting of the Central Council, A.O.H., and the trustees of the A.O.H. building fund was held in A.O.H. hall, Middle street last night for the purpose of submitting the reports of the committee appointed May 14 to investigate possible sites for a new Hibernian clubhouse in this city. This committee consists of James J. McManis, Dr. Patrick J. Bagley, John O'Sullivan, James O'Sullivan, Mrs. Maria O'Connor and Mrs. Nora Sheridan.

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ROCKLAND, Me. May 24.—The new scout cruiser Dateit is today being given her standardization trial over the official course off this coast, with the veteran navigating officer, Captain Joseph Kemp, in the pilot house. No definite speed is set by navy department for ships of this type but it is understood success of the Detroit depends upon her making better than 32½ knots. Her sister ship, the Richmond, last week broke the record for ships of the class with a speed of 34.48 knots.

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# Make THE Backyard Pay

BY W. R. BEATTIE,  
Extension Horticulturist, United States  
Department of Agriculture

The craze for flowers of the more expensive and popular class, has bid fair to cause old-fashioned annuals, marigolds, cockscomb and petunias to be forgotten. The common flowers, however, have an important place in our scheme of gardening and, in fact, are worthy of more attention on the part of everyone who plants a garden.

Among the many advantages of zinnias and other annual flowering plants in their class are small cost and quick results. Where it is desired to have a border of flowers along the vegetable garden one packet each of zinnia, marigold, cockscomb, phlox and petunia will supply a variety of pleasing color from midsummer until frost.

By starting the plants in the house and transplanting them to the garden they will bloom considerably earlier. The easy way, however, is to sow the seeds in the place where the plants are to grow.

## Caster Beans

Where something large is wanted to hide an unsightly background plant a double row of castor beans, using the large bronze sort for the back row and the dwarf green sort for the front row. A few plants of cosmos can be worked in between the castor beans and a row of zinnias in front so that a complete screen will be formed.

Sunflowers, not the very large kind but the smaller ones, are very effective for mixing with the other plants. Spotted flowers are also good for mixing in with other plants that grow from two to four feet in height.

After all, there is no flower that is

quite as effective as scarlet sage or salvia for mass planting. A double row of salvia, growing in front of a green hedge of California privet, is very striking and attractive. Zinnias could also be used this way but in either case plenty of water must be given the plants because the hedge draws heavily upon the moisture supply in the soil.

There are at least 20 of the old-fashioned flowers, any of which may be used to advantage, especially in backyards and border planting. The cost of starting and growing them is small. The list includes, in addition to those already mentioned, zinnia, marigold, cockscomb, phlox, petunia, snapdragon, garden balsam, four-o'clock, nigella, candytuft, Japanese pink, Iceland poppy, lobelia, pansies and forget-me-nots.

## Strawflowers

Strawflowers, called "everlasting flowers" by our grandmothers, are again coming into popularity mainly because they make a beautiful border as a summer bloomer and in addition the flowers can be cut and dried and hold their color for use in the house during the winter. The seed of the strawflower may be sown in the open ground but the plants do better if started in the house and transplanted to the garden.

Strawflowers want good soil and the plants should be set about 18 inches apart and grow about 30 inches high. The flowers for use in the house during the winter should be cut before fully ripened and dried in the shade. A good plan is to tie the cut flowers together in small bunches by their stems, then wrap in newspaper, leaving the ends of the package open and hang in a cool dry place.

After all, there is nothing equal to zinnias and a number of others of their class for quick results in hiding a fence or some such unsightly background. As time goes on a series of shrubbery and more permanent plants can be planted.

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## STATION WHAM, ROCHESTER

(Eastern Standard Time)  
823 Kc, 280 Meters  
7.35 p. m.—Children's story, "Hans and His Dog," told by Miss Georgina A. Spence.  
7.40 p. m.—Announcement of baseball results.  
7.45 p. m.—Piano solo by Lorimer Eshelman, numbers to be announced.  
Radio play, "The Bishop's Candlesticks," a one-act play founded on an incident in Victor Hugo's novel, "Les Misérables."  
8.00 p. m.—Program by an octette from the Knights of Columbus Choral society, Council No. 178, Rochester, N. Y.: By the octette: "Woodland Roses," "Brahma's Lullaby," "Killarney," "Rosary," "Venezian Love Song," "Bass solo, 'The Armourer's Song,' from 'Robin Hood,' sung by G. G. Rogers, tenor solo, 'Wild Irish Rose,' sung by John Rottler; bass solo, 'Rose of my Heart,' sung by A. Bayer; tenor solo, 'Only You' and 'Rose in the Bud,' sung by Edward S. Swenson; Miss Minnie O'Laughlin, pianist.  
8.00 p. m.—Weather forecast.

## STATION WRAF, NEW YORK

609 Kc, 492 Meters  
7.30 p. m.—"Incidents in the Experience of a Standard Practice Engineer," a talk by Harrington Emerson.  
7.45 p. m.—Concert by the Long 1 Grotto Glee club: "The Lord's Day" (Kretzer); "Kentucky Babe" (Luders); bass solo by William J. Moss, "The Big Bass Viol" (Snider); by the Glee club, "Burdleigh" (Luders); tenor solo by Edward Kitzel, "Carolina" by the Glee club, "Huzza."  
8.05 p. m.—One-act plays given by the pupils of Theodora Ursula Irvine.  
8.15 p. m.—Concert by the Long 1 Grotto Glee club, program: "The Lost Chord" (Sullivan); tenor solo by James V. Hess, "Send Me a Blue Bird" (McCarthy); by the Glee club, "Mother Mine" (Burdleigh); "Laughing" (Abt); bass solo by Alexander Melville, selection to be announced; by the Glee club, "Come Where My Love Lies Dreaming."  
8.45 p. m.—One-act plays given by the pupils of Theodora Ursula Irvine.  
9 p. m.—Recital by Maximilian Rose.

Zunino, guitar: "Shifting Shadows," Odell.  
Russian violinist, accompanied by David Sapro, Program: "Romance" (Wieniawski); "Caprice" (Voss); "Hebrew Lullaby" (Schron); "Guitarre" (Moskowsky).  
8.15 p. m.—The Research Laboratory and Public Health, a talk by Dr. W. H. Park.  
8.30 p. m.—Concert by the Bell Male quartet, composed of New York Telephone company employees. Program: "March" (Lullaby); "Coal Black Mammy"; "Little Rover, Won't You Come Back Home Again"; "Pretty Robbed Hair Pigeon."  
8.45 p. m.—Recital by Maximilian Rose, Russian violinist, Program: "Nocturne E. Minor" (Chopin-Auer); "La Coucou" (Lullaby); "La Gitana" (Kretzer); "Introduction et Tarantelle" (Sarasate).  
10 p. m.—Concert by the Bell Male quartet, Program: "Lost a Wonderful Girl," "Red Moon," "All Mo Back, Fall Mine," "Crying for You," "You've Got to See Mamma Every Night."

STATION WJZ, NEW YORK  
1550 Kc, 185 Meters  
7.45 p. m.—Soprano solos and duets by Misses Beatty and Bennett.  
8.15 p. m.—Soprano solos and duets by Misses Beatty and Bennett.  
8.30 p. m.—Piano solos by Marwin Howe: "Ride of the Valkyries," Wagner-Hutchinson; "Serenade," Rachmaninoff.  
11 p. m.—Piano solos by Marwin Howe: "Polonaise," "Berceuse," "Humoresque," Rachmaninoff.

## STATION WGY, SCHENECTADY

783 Kc, 380 Meters  
7.45 p. m.—Bassball scores.  
7.45 p. m.—Radio drama, "What Happened to Jones," instrumental selection from the musical comedy, "You're in Love" (Friml-Schurmer).  
WGY instrumental quartet, "What Happened to Jones" (George Broadhurst), the WGY Players, The cast: Mrs. William Higgins as Mrs. Jones, Edward H. Smith, Ebenezer Goodley, a professor of anatomy, Jas. Mullarkey, Anthony Goodley, J. D. Bishop of Bullard, Frank Oliver, Richard Heatherly, engaged to Margaret, Edward E. St. Louis, Thomas Holder, a policeman, Courtland Hopkiss, William Higgins as an intimate of the sanatorium, Bertie Anthony, Henry Fuller, superintendent of the sanatorium, Herman Schilling, Mrs. Goodley, Ebenezer's wife, Ida Myrick, Cissy, Ebenezer's ward, Margaret V. Smith, Margaret and Minerva, Ebenezer's daughters, Ruth Schilling and Leila Somers, Helma, a Swedish servant girl, Viola Korwowski, Place, New York city. Time, the present.  
Act I.—In the home of Ebenezer Goodley. Time, 15 minutes later. Instrumental selection, "By the Side of a Streamlet" (Hofstadter) quartet, Act II.—Scene as Act I. Time, ten minutes later. Instrumental selection, "Scene de Ballet" (Bendix), quartet.  
Half the people of England who live to be centenarians are widows.

## Italy Celebrates Anniversary of War

ROME, May 24.—(By the Associated Press)—The anniversary of Italy's entrance into the war was celebrated today throughout Italy—this year for the first time as a solemn function generally observed. Hitherto the government has not encouraged the celebration which has been opposed by the socialists and communists. All over Italy there were parades, ending with the laying of wreaths on soldiers' graves.

## Greeks Ready to Quit Lausanne

ATHENS, May 24.—Premier Gonatas, announcing today that the Greek delegation at Lausanne has been ordered to leave in the event the conference declares in favor of indemnity for Turkey, added that decision on the question must be made by Saturday of this week. The Greek government, he said, reserves liberty of action.

## Demand \$25,000 For Death of American

PEKING, May 24.—(By the Associated Press)—The American legation has transmitted to the foreign office a demand of \$25,000 an indemnity for the death of Charles Colman, an American, who was shot by Chinese soldiers last December, in an alleged dispute over the export of silver.

## RHEUMATISM

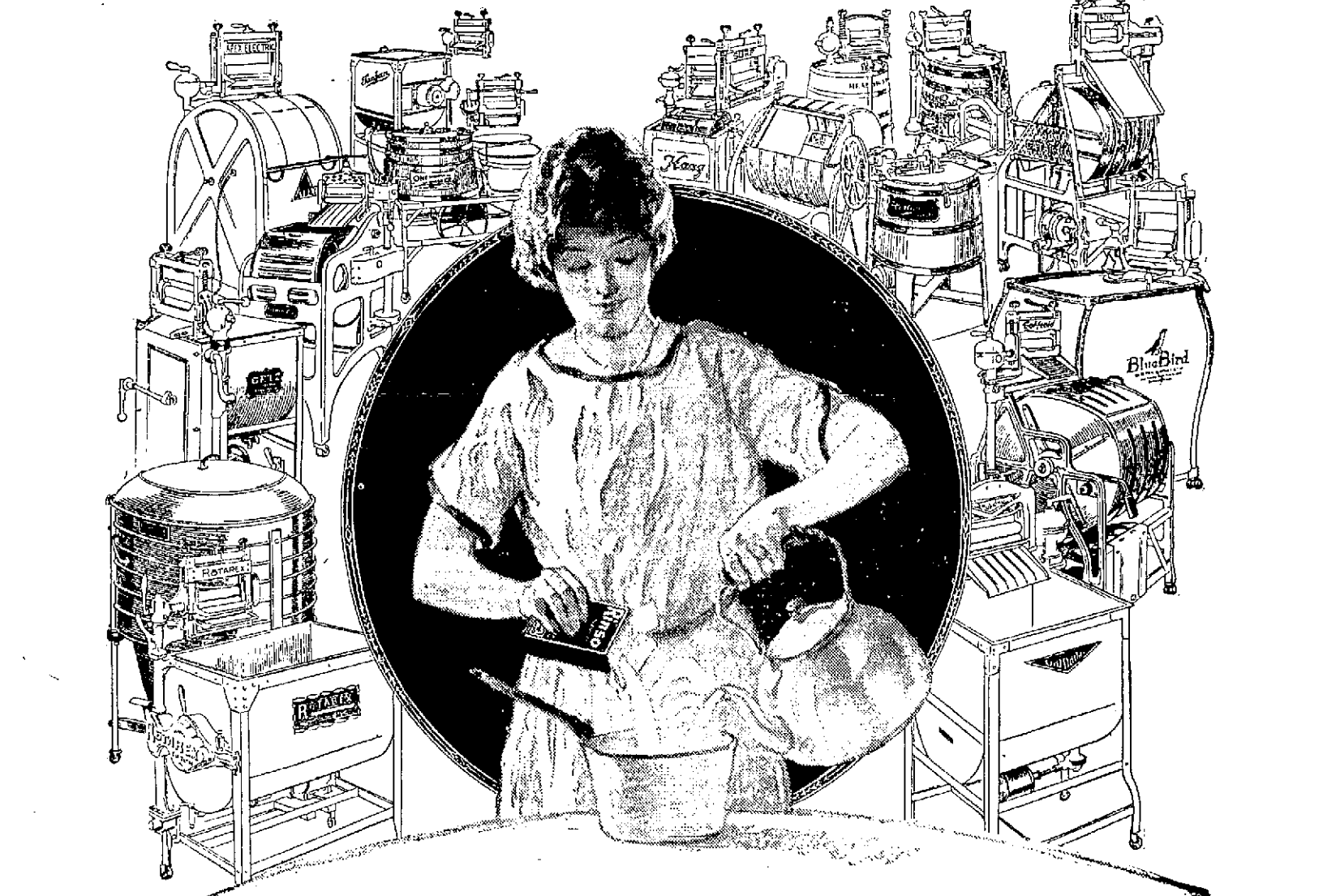
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# Both Boston Major League Teams Win Over Their Western Opponents

## EAST PUT IT OVER ON WEST

Western Teams Outclassed in Recent Series With Eastern Ball Clubs

Giants Clean Up Cardinals—Both Boston Teams Won Yesterday

NEW YORK, May 24.—In the main the east had all the best of it during the two baseball invasions that ended yesterday. American league teams from the east won the majority of their western contests, while the eastern Nationals, battling on their home grounds, sent the western invaders back with more losses than victories to their credit.

While the Giants were making a clean sweep of the St. Louis series, 4 to 1, Brooklyn climbed over Chicago into fourth place by downing the Reds, 7 to 1. Boston helped precipitate the Cubs by beating them, 6 to 4, and the Pirates continued their jay ride in Philadelphia, again beating the Phillies, 1 to 0.

The trips of the western National League clubs have disclosed an almost unbeatable team in the New York Giants. The world's champions kept their old teammate, Fred Toney, from rubbing it in yesterday by easily mastering him while Jack Bentley, the former Baltimore star, who may be said to have replaced Toney, pitched his best of the season.

After taking every scratch with the west, the Giants receive the Phillies today and should continue to pile up a lead. Philadelphia, however, showed life yesterday by forcing the Pirates to extend themselves to win, which is about all the Quakers have done this season, their victories all together totalling only eight.

The romp with Philadelphia has been beneficial for the Pirates as it gave them an opportunity to steal away from St. Louis and gain a half grip on second place. Touted as the strongest team of the west, the Cardinals had less luck with the Giants than the Pirates for whom Babe Adams twirled one victory.

Today the Cardinals meet the Pirates in Pittsburgh in a battle for second place, which is bound to help the Giants.

The four eastern American League clubs play each other today while the western quartet do likewise. The Philadelphia Athletics, the marvel team of the season, have a chance to overhaul the speeding Yankees in their own Shibe Park and Detroit and Cleveland start on what should be tame series for both, going respectively against Chicago and St. Louis.

Boston which receives Washington today, won the only American League contest yesterday from Cleveland, 8 to 6. It was the Red Sox ninth victory this year.

## Cy Williams Threatens Babe's Record

NEW YORK, May 24.—Cy Williams, sensational home run hitter of the Philadelphia Nationals will eclipse Babe Ruth's all-time record of 59 circuit clouts set in 1921, if the Quaker slugger maintains his present pace. Williams yesterday laced out his 16th homer, close to two weeks ahead of Ruth's schedule in 1921, when the Yankee slouter hit his 16th on June 3. Ruth at this stage of the 1921 season had collected an even dozen homers, so that Williams now has an advantage of four. Ruth now has but eight homers to his credit.

## SPALLA AFTER DEMPSEY

European Champion Issues Challenge for World's Championship Bout

Kearns Reports "Enormous" Offer for Dempsey-Wills Bout at Great Falls, Mont.

MILAN, May 24.—(By the Associated Press) Ermino Spalla of Italy, holder of the European heavyweight boxing title, today challenged Jack Dempsey to a bout for the world's heavyweight championship. Spalla, once a sparring partner in Dempsey's camp, won the European title from Vandever, the Hollander, here last Sunday.

For Dempsey-Wills Bout  
GREAT FALLS, Mont., May 24.—Jack Kearns, manager of Jack Dempsey yesterday received an "enormous" offer from Dan Tracy, Great Falls hotel man and mine owner, to match Dempsey and Harry Wills here next Labor day, according to a special dispatch to the Great Falls Tribune. The figures were not made public but Kearns said it was "real money."

"I see no reason why the Dempsey-Wills match could not be staged successfully in Great Falls and I consider Mr. Tracy's offer very favorable," Kearns said.

## MAD HATTER TO RUN

To Attempt to Win the Metropolitan Handicap for Third Straight Time

NEW YORK, May 24.—Mad Hatter, one of the fastest campaigners of the Rancocas stable, winner of the Metropolitan handicap in 1921 and 1922, is foremost among the entries for the 1923 renewal of the event to be run as the feature of Belmont Park opening today.

The Rancocas stable has named Flying Cloud, Grey Lag and Knobbles along with Mad Hatter as probable starters, but it is doubtful if all of them will face the barrier. Should Mad Hatter be sent out in an attempt to win the event for the third straight time, it is probable that Earle Sande, who rode him in his victories of 1921 and 1922, will have the mount.

YALE TRACK TEAM  
NEW HAVEN, Conn., May 24.—The Yale track team will leave this afternoon for Philadelphia to participate in the intercollegiate championships tomorrow and Saturday. The Yale squad will number 31 athletes and will be accompanied by head coach William and Comstock, and Manager J. N. Pharr.

## Kinks of the Links

In what year did Edward Ray win the American national open championship and who were the runners-up that year?  
Edward Ray won the title in 1920 at the Inverness club at Toledo, O., with a score of 295. The battle for the title that year was one of the most sensational ever staged. Harry Vardon, who came over with Ray, as well as Leo Diegel, Jack Burke and Jock Hutchison finished just one stroke away.

If upon reaching the green a player discovers that his ball is resting against the flagstick, while in the hole, what is the proper procedure in such a situation?  
The player shall be entitled to remove the flagstick and if the ball falls into the hole, the player shall be deemed to have holed out at his last stroke.

What are the rights of a player when some loose impediment on the putting green, in his opinion, interferes with his next shot?  
Loose impediment may always be lifted from the putting green.

When a ball is driven into permanent water, such as a brook or pond that is a regular part of the course, and it is impossible to find the ball, how should the next shot be played and what is the penalty for driving into the water and being unable to find the ball in play?  
If able to recover the ball driven into the water it is customary to play the same ball. However, if unable to recover it, no additional penalty is attached for such failure. Simply drop a new ball, keeping the spot where the ball went into the water between you and the hole. You suffer a penalty of one stroke in such a situation.

Can an amateur golfer write articles on golf for pay provided he is the actual author of same?  
The rules relating to the forfeiture of amateur standing says: "A player forfeits his amateur standing if he receives pay for articles on the game which he did not actually write."

## Do you know Baseball?

by Billy Evans

Questions  
ONE.—If it is discovered that the batter is the wrong hitter, the count being two strikes and two balls at the time, can he be removed and the proper one substituted?  
TWO.—With runner on third and two out, batter strikes out, ball gets away from catcher, runner on third scoring, batsman reaching second. Batsman fails to touch first and is called out, ruling side. Does run count?  
THREE.—Batsman steps out of box, having received umpire's permission to do so. As he steps back into the box and still is in motion, not having taken his position, pitcher delivers ball. Has he such a right?  
FOUR.—Ball strikes in foul territory and goes down third base line about a foot from the bag. Pitcher strikes the bag, bounds in and comes into contact with bag. Is it fair or foul?  
FIVE.—Batter tries to dodge wildly pitched ball. It strikes his bat and results in a grounder to pitcher who

## Criqui Impresses Boxing Experts

NEW YORK, May 24.—Boxing experts were variously impressed with their first professional view yesterday of Eugene Criqui, European featherweight champion, who will attempt to take the world's title of the division away from Johnny Kilbane of Cleveland at the Polo Grounds, June 2. The Frenchman, using sparring partners who came from France with him, disclosed a hitch in his right cross that the experts concluded would be easy picking for a lightning thrust that the Kilbane of yore had. But whether the Kilbane of 1923 has the same rapidity of punch is doubted by them.

## Rawlings Plays With Pirates Today

PITTSBURGH, May 24.—Johnny Rawlings, the hustling second sacker recently sold to the Philadelphia Nationals by the New York Giants will appear in the lineup of the Pittsburgh club when the Pirates and St. Louis clash today. Rawlings, regarded as one of the best second basemen in the game, comes to Pittsburgh as the result of a trade involving four players, announced in Philadelphia last night. With Rawlings comes Pitcher Lee Meadows from the Phillies, while in return the Pirates have given up Pitcher "Whitey" Glazner and Second Baseman "Cotton" Tierney to the Quakers.

throws batter out at first. Can that be done?

Answers  
ONE.—Manager has perfect right to substitute proper batter who takes the count of two strikes and two balls.

TWO.—Run does not count as batter scores on a play in which the third out is a play on which the batsman fails to reach first.

THREE.—Umpire should not permit the ball to be delivered until the batter has actually taken his proper position in the box. He should regard the pitch as nothing in such a situation.

FOUR.—It is a fair ball when it strikes the bag, regardless of the fact that it was foul all the way down the line.

FIVE.—Ball is in play in such a happening and fielder had the right to retire batsman at first.

O'LOUGHLIN DEFENDS TITLE  
ENGLEWOOD, N. J., May 24.—Marty O'Loughlin of Plainfield, N. J., will defend his title as New Jersey open golf champion today against a strong field of professional stars in the 36-hole tournament over the Englewood Links.

## VARNUM GRAMMAR SCHOOL EXHIBITION

The students of the Varnum grammar school gave an exhibition of their physical training work yesterday afternoon on the school grounds before a large number of relatives and friends.

Over 700 students of the various grades participated in the exhibition, which was mostly along the line of hand work, Swedish movements, and callisthenics. All were dressed in white, and the various grades were designated by different colored bows, as follows: Eighth and ninth grades, blue; seventh, red; sixth, rose pink; fifth, light pink; and fourth and third, white.

The exhibition was given under the direction of Physical Instructors Donald R. MacIntyre and James R. MacIntyre. The regular instructors were James R. MacIntyre and Miss Nellie Horner. Following the exhibition, a food and cake sale was held under the management of the ninth grade. The proceeds of the sale will be devoted to the class fund. Nine tables were arranged in the school corridors and rooms and practically everything that was for sale was the handiwork of the pupils and their friends.

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DRAFT vs. KENWOOD  
A baseball game between Draft Centre and Kenwood schools teams played yesterday afternoon resulted in a victory for the Centre aggregation, the score being 2 to 1. The lineups were as follows: Kenwood—G. Wolfrum p. Dawson c. Kydd 1b. Dugan 2b. Catkins 3b. Hyde 4b. Plotte 5b. J. Wolfrum 6b. Anselm 7b. Centre—George R. Kenwood p. G. Glendon 1b. Albert 2b. Schryver 3b. Alekxiss 4b. Bessel 5b. E. White 6b. Burrows 7b.

MEMORIAL SERVICE  
A memorial service will be conducted at the Varnum Centre Congregational church next Sunday morning. The service will be for the members of the Centre and Hillside Congregational churches. The principal speaker will be Congressman John Jacob Rogers.

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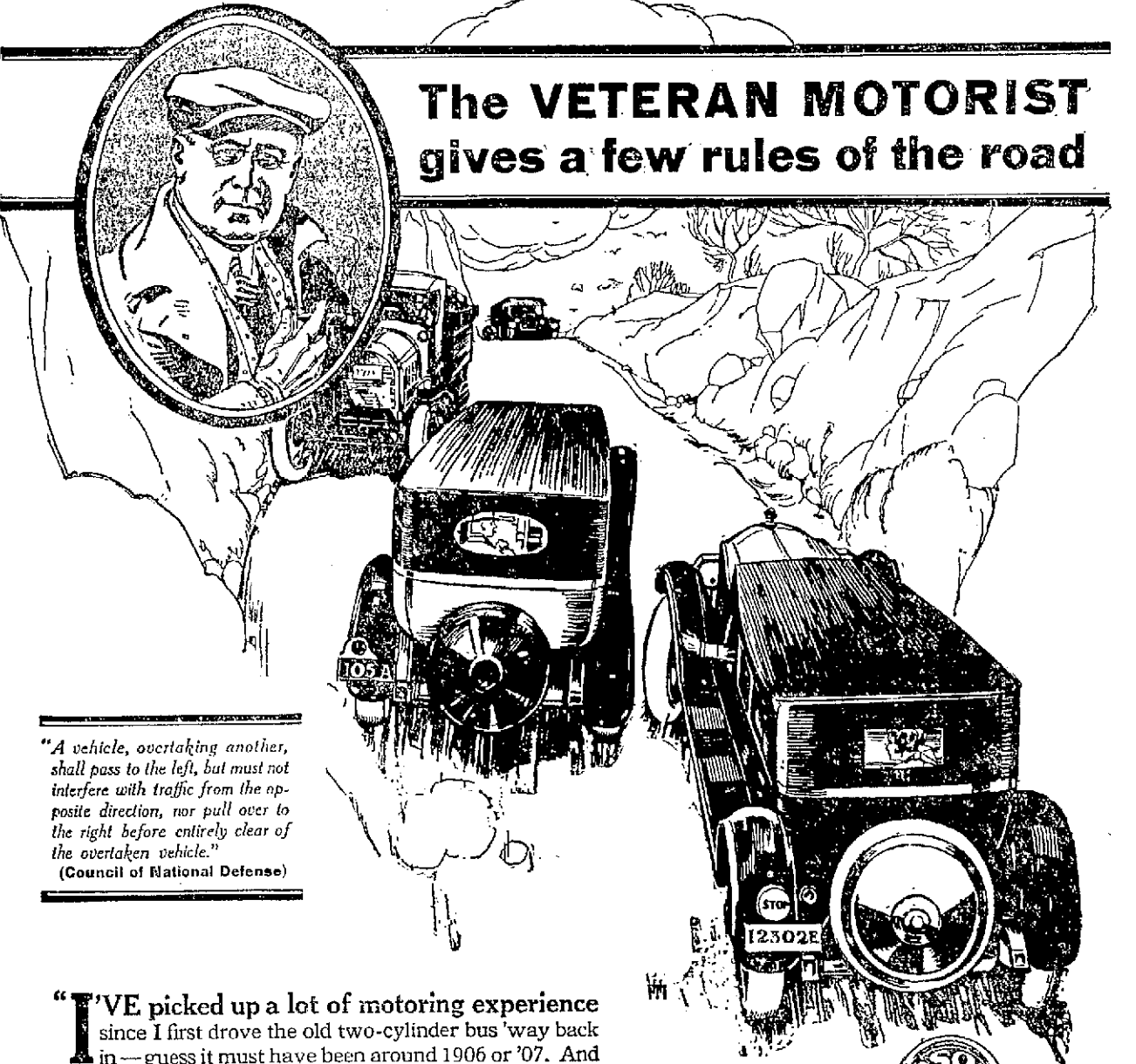
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## SIX KILLED IN WRECK

Negro Porter and Five Men  
Riding "Blind" Baggage  
Lose Lives in Train Crash

ABILENE, Tex., May 24.—At least six persons were killed, including a negro porter and five men said to have been riding the "blind" baggage, one engine man probably fatally injured, and two or three others less seriously hurt, when two Texas and Pacific passenger trains collided early this morning, midway between El Paso and Putnam, Tex.

## COUNCIL WILL ACT ON \$10,000 POLICE LOAN

The members of the city council will hold an adjourned meeting tomorrow evening at 8 o'clock to take action on the bill introduced by Councilor Froelich, A. Sadler providing for a \$10,000 loan for the police department. The bill was passed by the council some time ago but was vetoed by Mayor Donovan, and ten votes are necessary in the council to pass the bill over the mayor's veto.

## WILL DISCUSS EDSON SCHOOL QUESTION

A meeting of the school committee and the sub-committee of the city council on the Edson school question will be held at city hall this evening at 7:30.

As the proposed for a new building in the South End section of the city for school purposes has met with defeat, the meeting tonight will be for the purpose of discussing ways and means of repairing the school so that it will be safe for the children who must attend it. The sub-committee of the council on this question is composed of Councilors Frederick A. Sadler, James P. Hennessy, Arthur B. Chadwick, Joseph A. N. Chretien and Eugene A. Fitzgerald.

As one of the popular employees of city hall was strolling about the streets in the downtown section of the city yesterday, he happened to find a sum of money in a purse on the sidewalk. This money is now at the city clerk's office and can be had by the owner if he or she will go there and identify the property.

## BUY TRACT OF LAND

A tract of land, the area of which is between 3 and 4 acres, and located in Putnam road, has been purchased by Alvin Sturges and Arthur D. Keahly. The sale was effected through the office of T. H. Elliott. The new owners plan to erect several modern houses on the site in the course of the summer.

## INVITED TO NASHUA

An invitation to all members of the Lowell Fish and Game association to attend a smoke talk and entertainment in Grange hall, Nashua, N. H., this evening at 8 o'clock, standing this has been extended by the Nashua Fish and Game club.

## Fires Burn Over 1000 Acres Near Cape Cod

SANDWICH, May 24.—Fires in the woodland in this section of Cape Cod had burned over more than a thousand acres today but the flames were not approaching any village and no buildings had been destroyed. The fires, which died down during the night, flared up with a freshening of the breeze today, and large parties of residents turned out to fight them. While some good timber has been destroyed, most of the land burned over was covered with scrub growth.



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## AFRAID THE LIGHTNING MIGHT STRIKE AGAIN

It was a rather skeptical and skittish crowd of Lowell commuters, including students, business men and women, that waited at the Middlesex street depot this morning for the 7:55 train, which yesterday slid on its ear just after shooting past the Winchester Highlands station, ditching seven cars, slightly injuring 15 persons and generally tearing up the roadbed for a distance of 150 yards.

There were many in the crowd who would have preferred to walk had the lightning not been quite so long and almost to a man and to a woman, the travelers mounted ear steps with their fingers crossed and vowing to hold their respective breaths until the North station was reached.

## Discussed Training of Local Swimmers

Continued

The meeting was called for the purpose of discussing the advisability of the Lowell chapter backing the drive now being made for the training of local swimmers to become life-savers, under the direct supervision of a member of the Boston Red Cross, at this pool in the local Y.M.C.A.

Charles R. Towne, physical instructor of the Y.M.C.A., and "Jack" Wallace, of the Boston lifesaving service, appeared in favor of the proposition, and, as the course of study for life-savers includes both the rescuing of drowning and resuscitation, Mr. Wallace demonstrated the prone-pressure method on Mr. Towne.

After considerable discussion on the merits of such a training here, Mayor Donovan stated that he believed it to be of great importance, and when a vote was called for on the question, all agreed that the Red Cross should give the move their official approval.

There are two classes required, the junior, from the ages of 12 to 17, and the senior, from 17 upwards. The method is to get every local organization, school and industry to send delegates to the pool, in this case the swimming pool, where they will be taught the correct methods, and then, when the day has been accomplished, to have these men and women in turn teach others.

## Mayor Donovan Will Welcome Disabled War Vets

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## Gave Laroux Bad Beating

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## ACCIDENT BOARD HEARING

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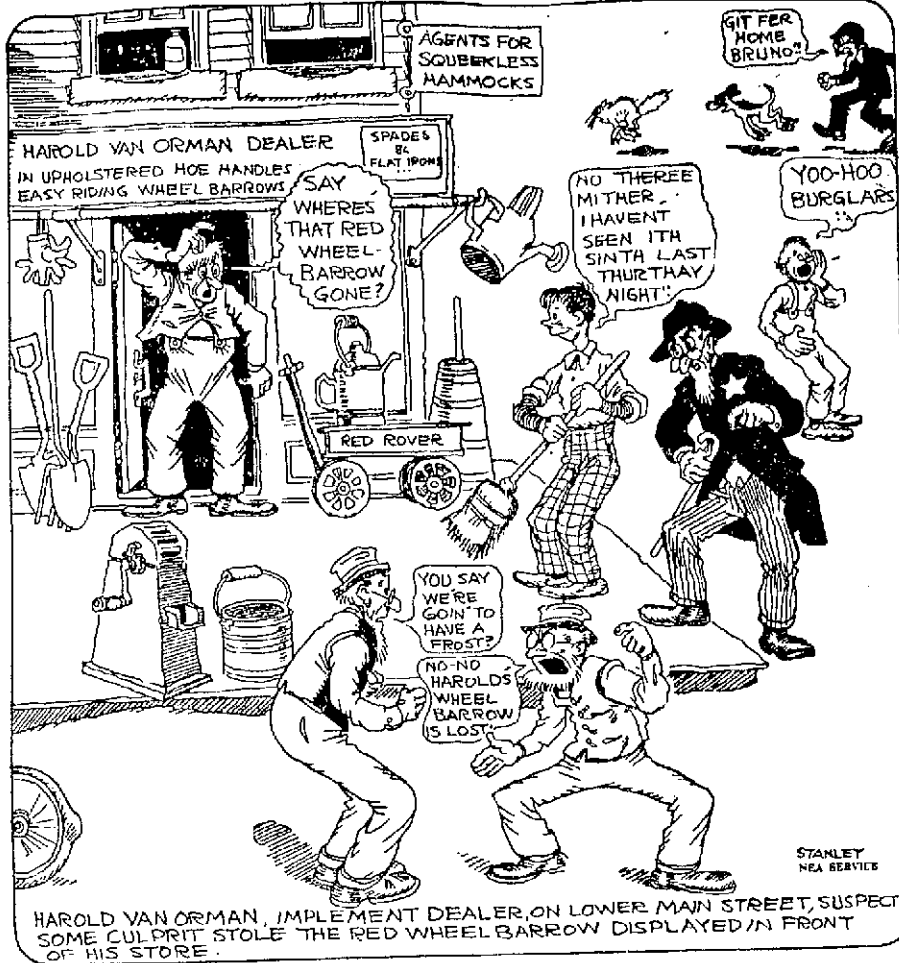
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## Dog Show Opens at Casino

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With many of the dogs at the show, are locally owned, scores of others are not and practically all of the well known kennels and breeds in this section of the country are represented. Some of the more distant places represented are Providence and East Greenwich, R. I., Hallowell, N. J., Thompson, Conn., New York City, Hollywood, Cal., Perth, Ill., N. J., Montreal, Canada, Hudson, N. Y., Butler, Pa., Hallowell, Hudson, N. Y., Bucks Park, Pa., Syosset, L. I., Sanford, Me., Roylton, Vt., Piqua, Ohio, Fox Terriers (smooth and wire haired), Scotch terriers, West Highland white terriers, Weimaraners, Dandie Dinmont terriers, English terriers, black and tan Manchester terriers, schipperkes, poodles, English toy spaniels, Italian greyhounds, other breeds, bull dogs, Japanese spaniels, Pekinese pugs, toy poodles, Yorkshire terriers, beagles, toy terriers, Chihuahuas, dachshunds, Chesapeake bays, Brussels Griffons, skye terriers and many others.

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## STRIKING MOLDERS ARE NATIONAL GUARD UNIT

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According to union officials, the roll call at the meeting of the strikers of the Saco-Lowell and Kilton foundries, which was held in Trades and Labor hall this forenoon, showed that all the skilled molders of both plants are joined in the ranks of the strikers. The meeting was largely attended and in fact so large was the attendance that the assembly shifted to a larger hall. The strikers are very confident.

A feature of this morning's meeting was an address by John O'Neill of Cincinnati, vice president of the International Molders' union of North America. Mr. O'Neill urged the strikers to stick together and gave them instructions concerning the picketing, which was started yesterday, warning them to do nothing but peaceful picketing and refrain from molesting anyone.

At the close of the meeting it was stated that inasmuch as some of the employees of the Saco-Lowell foundry start their day's work at 3 o'clock in the morning, pickets were on duty at that time this morning. There was no indication of strike breakers near the plant and it is felt that the company is endeavoring to have its work done by some of the laborers employed in the shop. The pickets at the Kilton foundry did not report there until 7:30 o'clock, as work is not started there until 8 a. m.

Business Agent Murphy informed the Sun that both plants are now badly crippled as far as molders are concerned, and he said if the men keep up the battle, and it is believed they will, the strike will be of short duration. He said a notable increase in the ranks of the strikers was noticed this morning and according to the roll call all the skilled molders of both shops are now out.

field, with her coils dog, to appear at the Casino this afternoon. This is the dog that saved little Miss Cadore's life recently when she became mired in a swamp and saved herself from being totally submerged only by holding fast to the dog's neck. The faithful animal continued to hold steadily until help arrived and pulled the girl to solid ground.

The judges are L. J. O'Connor, Newburyport; William E. Cass, Salem; Dr. Harry J. Basson, Providence; R. L. William A. Hillenbrand, Albany; N. V. Harry A. Johnson, Belmont; J. A. Kyte, Natick; William E. Baker, Jr., New York City; Mrs. William Henry Perry, Leominster; Alex. Morrison, Wilmington and Charles C. Houghton, New York City.

## Bench Show Committee

The bench show committee representing the Lowell Kennel club, includes the following: Frederick J. Humphries, chairman; Smith J. Adams, D. Bailey, Fred Bassett, William Bell, George Camp, John Davis, Arthur E. Dyer, Mrs. Arthur E. Dyer, Dr. William E. Eaton, Timothy Flanagan, Joseph Hales, Joseph Hales, Paul Hutton, James Kirkpatrick, Mrs. James Kirkpatrick, Patrick Lynch, Patrick Lyons, Lawrence Marzke, John McKenzie, Arthur Miller, Leon Mullin, Dr. Joseph N. Murray, Richard Murphy, Henry Nixon, Mrs. Cleveland K. Noyes, Dr. Joseph Patton, Henry Reedy, William R. Bickley, Miss Sophronia Robinson, Mrs. Robert E. Wescott, Allen Williams and Fred Williams.

The superintendent and show secretary is Charles E. O'Connor of Lynn. Veterinarians on duty are Dr. W. S. Eaton, Dr. C. A. Hamblett, Dr. C. E. Munro and Dr. W. C. Sherman. The officers of the Kennel club are: President, Frederick G. Humphries; first vice president, John McKenzie; second vice president, Frank Kelly; third vice president, Smith J. Adams; secretary, Joseph J. Foley; treasurer, James Kirkpatrick; directors, Fred Williams, Isaac Wotton and Thomas H. Braden.

## New Unit to Be Recruited

Will Be Known as Co. C, 182nd Infantry

A new national guard unit to be known as Company C, 182nd Infantry, will be recruited in Lowell under the direction of Captain Donald R. MacIntyre, its commanding officer. Recruiting will get under way next Monday night when Captain MacIntyre will be at the armory to meet any young men interested. The office also will be open on Tuesday, Thursday and Friday after next work and it is expected that many ex-service men will welcome this opportunity to join



CAPT. DONALD R. MACINTYRE

a company to be composed wholly of Lowell boys.

If the company recruits to peace strength rapidly it will go into camp at Camp Devens for two weeks in July, beginning on the fourth. As yet no other officers have been named for service with the outfit but they will be within a few days.

## POLICE CHIEF SAYS NO

MAD DOG IN DRACUT

NASHUA, N. H., May 24.—Reports of a number of cases of rabies among dogs in Dracut, Mass., Hudson, N. H., and this city, have led the board of health here and the selection of Hudson to issue an order requiring that all dogs running loose be muzzled.

In commenting on the above item this morning, Chief Bert A. Chaff of the Dracut police stated that he knew of no cases of rabies in Dracut at the present time. Last March, he said, one case was reported and the town authorities immediately issued an order requiring all dogs in the town to be muzzled. This order was effective for 30 days, after which the quarantine was lifted. That was about six weeks ago and no other cases have been reported to date.

## DRILL AT ARMORY

The first battalion headquarters company, 102d field artillery, will hold its regular drill at the armory on Westford street tonight. After the drill the doctor will examine recruits.

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